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WEALTHY CITIZEN SHOOTS HIMSELF

Solomon Cone, of Greensboro N. C., Found With Bullet Behind Ear.

SUICIDE THEORY ADVANCED

Intimate Friends Claim Shooting Was Accidental—Hurried to Hospital, Later Regained Consciousness But Made no Statement.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Greensgoro, N. C., October 8.—Solomon N. Cone, a member of the millionaire family of that name, which controls vast industrial interests throughout the South, and a member of the New York, Liverpool and New Orleans cotton exchange, was found unconscious in his bachelor apartments at 8 o'clock this morning, with blood streaming from a bullet wound behind his left ear and a revolver in his right hand.

The circumstances indicated an attempt to commit suicide though his intimate friends are of the opinion that the pistol was discharged accidentally, they declaring that there was no reason for an attempt upon his life.

He has been a heavy dealer in spot cotton, but his associates refuse to affirm or deny any rumors concerning his recent spot transactions and the result so far as he was concerned.

Mr. Cone, who was seen on the streets, as early this morning as 3 o'clock, was discovered by his valet, Dennis Siler, who went to his apartments at the regular hour to wake him up. Entering, he discovered Mr. Cone, fully dressed, lying on the floor and in an unconscious state. He immediately summoned aid and physicians and the wounded man was hurried to a hospital, where the bullet was later extricated. It is said tonight that the chances for his recovery are very favorable.

Tonight Mr. Cone had regained full possession of his faculties, but any statements he has made, have been carefully guarded.

When found by his valet Mr. Cone was sitting upright in an arm chair, the weapon, a 32-calibre pistol, lying on the floor.

DEATH IN TEXAS.

Former Robesonian—Policeman Receives Hurry Call.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Lumberton, N. C., Oct. 8.—The sad intelligence has been received here of the death of Mr. John C. Meares, a former Robesonian, which occurred at his home at Chilton, Texas, on the 1st day of this month, the funeral service being conducted on the 2nd. Mr. Meares was born and reared in Wishart's township, this county. When the Civil War began he enlisted and served throughout the conflict, where he lost three brothers, he and two others returning home in the Spring of 1865. A year or two later he married, and in January 1877, moved with his family to Texas, where he resided until his death last Saturday. Mr. Meares was a brother of Mrs. D. M. Wishart and Mr. T. J. Meares, of Lumberton, and a brother-in-law of Mrs. Sallie Thompson, of Lumberton. He was about 70 years old.

Yesterday morning about 3 o'clock Policeman McNeill was notified by the night operated at the phone office that he was wanted at the residence of Mr. Jno. D. McMillan at once. The cop lost no time in getting there, when he was informed that two men were acting very suspicious in the neighborhood, and that it was thought best to investigate their movements. Sure enough, there they were near by, one in his night clothes and the other carrying a lantern. The cop soon got wise. A cow belonging to Mr. R. E. Lee had gotten out of the lot and Mr. T. N. Higley was assisting Mr. Lee in driving the naughty cow home. The only arrest made was that of the cow.

The two weeks' term of Superior Court for the trial of civil causes, after being in session five days, adjourned yesterday evening for the term. The next court is scheduled to convene November 7th.

People in this section are going after fine milch cows in earnest. Mr. J. T. Barker closed out the second car load of the week this afternoon.

Many friends in Lumberton are much interested in the announcement of the marriage at Greensboro a few days ago of Miss Laurette Trout, who was for two or three seasons connected with the millinery store of Messrs. Caldwell & Carlyle. During her stay in Lumberton Miss Trout made many friends who wish for her all that is good in life.

NEW BILLS OF LADING.

Railroads and Steamship Lines Says Working Well.

New Orleans, Oct. 8.—After a month of actual use, new certificate cotton bills-of-lading are becoming popular according to the officials of railroad and steamship lines who have put the certificate plan into effect here. Practically every Southern railroad adopted the certificates on or about September 1, it is said. While European bankers have refused to accept the certificate plan as an effective safeguard of American bills-of-lading, it is declared American bankers are receiving them willingly.

ROW GOING WITH A SWING

Manager of State Democratic Literary Bureau Well Pleased With Outlook—Speakers Report Good Crowds—In Ohio.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 8.—"The campaign is going on with a swing and a vim" said Mr. R. F. Beasley, manager of the State Democratic Literary Bureau, this afternoon.

"That is remarkable for an off year in North Carolina. The beginning of the final 30 days before the election finds the Democratic party throughout the State united and aggressive, and going with a dash that foretells increased Democratic majorities practically everywhere.

Fine local tickets have been nominated in the counties, local differences have been settled, and Democrats everywhere are bucking the enemy's lines with a dash that is putting the Republicans on the defensive even in their strongholds. The weekly papers from the counties have come in full of fresh and encouraging news from the boys in the trenches. A reading of their columns confirms the opinion that the party is in full fighting trim. The encouraging news of the spread of Democratic principles over the whole country has put into the State campaign almost the interest that attaches to a Presidential election.

"A well known North Carolinian travelling in Ohio writes Chairman Eller that Democratic prospects are bright in that State, and such news coming from abroad puts enthusiasm into the home ranks.

"Speakers report fine crowds and from every direction headquarters are besieged with requests for speakers. The people are anxious to hear the gospel of Democracy, and wherever our candidates are able to get joint discussion the gains are ours. This year marks the decennial of the overthrow of the fusion regime, and the indications are that the people will celebrate in fine shape.

"The feature of the week has been the utter disgust and contempt that Butler's campaign of coarseness and abuse has aroused in the minds of decent people of all shades of political opinion. When he came back to North Carolina with a great blare of trumpets for the avowed purpose of making the Republican party respectable, he seems to have forgotten that the people have long memories, and that his record can never be blotted out. Ten years in Washington city as a lawyer and lobbyist plying a mysterious business, has not subtracted from it.

"You may break, you may shatter, the vase if you will, but the scent of the roses will linger there still."

"Butler's infamous betrayal of Pritchard is an order that will never get out of Republican minds, and his betrayal of the State in the bond matter cannot be explained away by his vindicative and coarse abuse of honorable men. The taints so wraps him about that he can never again make himself respectable much less add any respectability to the Republican party. His vile abuse and ravings are more like those of a mad man than a leader seeking the support of a generous and honorable people.

"Governor Aycock summarized the sentiment of North Carolinians when he said that 'when Butler was in power we met him anywhere and everywhere, but when the people of North Carolina turned him out in disgust and contempt, we turned our backs upon him forever, and self respecting men no longer meet him.' There is an abundant evidence that the Republican are disgusted with Butler. He is the biggest load they have to carry. Butler, the Payne-Aldrich tariff bill, Taft's estimate of his pie brigade, the disaster in Maine, Massachusetts and New York, have sunk the Morehead machine to the hub, and the pulling is getting worse daily."

CLANCY TO COACH.

Eastern Carolina League Star Will Coach University Team.

Chapel Hill, Oct. 8.—The athletic advisory committee of the University of North Carolina last night selected Charles A. Clancey, who pitched for Fayetteville last season to coach the 'varsity baseball team for the 1911 season.

Clancey has had a brilliant record in league baseball at Fayetteville, Holyoke, Conn., Rutland, Vermont and Montreal. He was pitcher on the 'varsity team at Georgetown University for three years. At Holyoke in the Connecticut league he worked six years. He went successively to Montreal in the Eastern league and Rutland, Vermont in the Northern league he came to Fayetteville in the latter part of 1909 season and since coming there he has not lost a series.

CHINESE OUTBREAK.

British Authorities Are Preparing to Protect Own People.

Hong Kong, Oct. 8.—The British naval authorities are apprehensive of an anti-foreign outbreak occurring at Canton. Inquiries have been instituted with a view to taking measures for the protecting of British subjects there.

Atlanta, Ga., October 7.—After adopting plans to try to make the annual convention of the Southern Commercial Congress here, next March, the largest gathering of business men ever held in the South, the meeting of three score delegates to the congress adjourned this evening.

SATURDAY GAMES ON THE GRIDIRON

Kentucky Defeated Carolina; A. & M. and Georgetown Couldn't Score.

OTHER RESULTS YESTERDAY

South Carolina Defeats Charleston College—Virginia Won From Roanoke College—Players Ugly at Raleigh.

Lexington, Va., Oct. 8.—The University of Kentucky defeated the University of North Carolina on the gridiron here today by the score of eleven to nothing.

A. & M. and Georgetown.

Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 8.—In a steady downpour of rain, on a field soaked with water, A. & M. and Georgetown played a sluggish game here today, neither side being able to score. The game was characterized by many fumbles and poor plays, due to the wet, sloppy condition of the grounds. Georgetown used no forward passes and A. & M. attempted two unsuccessful ones. Play was interrupted several times by "near" fights, due to the unfair means of play attempted by Georgetown. Sitterding, quarter back of Georgetown, was finally put out of the game for "dirty" playing.

Georgetown's only chance to score came in the second quarter, but was lost by a fumble on A. & M.'s five-yard line. A. & M.'s chance to score came in the last two minutes of play, when Hartsell was substituted for VanEberstein, and by swift runs through tackle carried the ball to within one foot of goal, when time was called. A. & M. clearly outplayed Georgetown, and during the entire second half, the ball was in Georgetown's territory.

Hartsell, Robertson, Seifert, VanEberstein and Stafford starred for A. & M. Dunn and Fitzgerald of Georgetown did good work.

Georgetown		A. & M.
Carter	RE	Seifert
Wayward	RT	Glenn
Fitzgerald	RG	Floyd
Curriff	C	Bray
Daly, (c)	LG	Clarke, Gattis
Bryant	LT	Hurtt
Haggarty	LE	Sherman
Sitterding	QB	Stafford
Craft, Dunn	LB	VanEberstein Hartsell, (c)
Walsh	FB	Robertson
Fury	RHB	Surratt, Cool

Summary: Length of quarters, 10 minutes; umpire, Holland, Clemson; referee, Gass, Lehigh; field judge, McNutt, Ohio; head linesman, Jackson, Randolph-Macon; timekeepers, Powers,, Georgetown; Bowler, A. & M.

Players Acted Ugly.

Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 8.—Georgetown football players who met the A. & M. eleven here yesterday, played rough house at the lunch room at the union depot here this morning before leaving smashing some coffee cups and grabbing eatables on the counter. They refused to pay damages demanded by the clerk and left 70 cents on the counter. The police were called in and the Georgetown players went to their car. While the lunchroom proprietor was off seeking a magistrate to get a warrant, the car was taken away by a shifting engine. The Georgetown manager says the damages demanded were exorbitant and the players refused to pay more than 70 cents for things broken and eaten.

Vanderbilt Won Easy.

Nashville, Tenn., Oct. 8.—Through the fast driving of her backfield Vanderbilt won a snappy battle from the Rose Polytechnic eleven here today by the score of 23 to 0. The Vanderbilts ran up four touchdowns and kicked three goals.

Despite their defeat the Indiana visitors called in the use of the farward pass, working this feature no less than six times without a failure, four of them being in the last quarter.

South Carolina Winner.

Columbia, S. C., Oct. 8.—The University of South Carolina opened its football season here today, defeating Charleston College 8 to 0. The score was the result of a touchdown in the first quarter. The game was played in a drizzle on a water-soaked field and was marred by frequent fumbles and penalties.

Cornell-Oberlin Tie.

Ithaca, N. Y., Oct. 8.—Oberlin matched speed against Cornell's weight and played the Red and White to a tie this afternoon, 0 to 0. Cornell used up all her best men in vain efforts to win. Forward passes failed in each instance through fast work of the visitors' end.

Pennsylvania Winner.

Philadelphia, Oct. 8—Pennsylvania's football team scored an easy victory over West Virginia this afternoon by the score of 38 to 0. At no period were the visitors dangerous, while Pennsylvania gained as she pleased. Long runs abounded, while the Red and Blue worked the forward pass for good gains. Mercer and Scott were the star ground gainers for Pennsylvania. Thayer scored one goal from a drop kick.

West Point Wins Again.

West Point, N. Y., Oct. 8.—West Point had little trouble today in defeating Tufts in the first game played by the Cadets under the new rules. The final score stood 24 to 0 in favor of the Army. End runs were relied on almost exclusively by both teams.

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WHOLE TOWN IN LUMBER DEAL

Robbinsville Practically Purchased by Whiting Company—Enormous Land Deal With Fabulous Prices in Graham.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Asheville, N. C., Oct. 8.—It became known here late today that the Whiting Lumber Company had purchased practically the whole town of Robbinsville, the county seat of Graham, paying in some instances fabulous prices for property, and will erect lumber and other mills there to manufacture timber from its Graham county holdings, which will employ at least 1,000 men.

The Southern Railway Company's line from Knoxville to Bushnell is to be completed only 16 miles at present lacking. A railroad is to be built from Bushnell to Robbinsville and other vast developments will follow. The Whiting Company owns or controls all the large timber boundaries in Graham. Big developments in Blount county, Tennessee, by the same people are also to be made. Only three lots and Methodist and Presbyterian churches and Presbyterian school and county courthouse in Robbinsville are not either purchased outright or bound by options. Negotiations are now under way for the court house property and if such went through the removal of the court house becomes necessary. The Presbyterian school will probably be sold and moved to another location. The taking of options began last May, when a man named Walker gave option on his property for $75,000. Other options were taken quietly and last week one or two who had not sold got wise and property jumped. One man whose cabin and lot is worth about $300, now asks $4,000, when it became known the Whiting people were buying Robbinsville. Agents of the company went there and took up options paying in $10 and $20 gold pieces. It created excitement equal to California gold fever. The company will spend more than two million dollars in its developments.

EPISCOPAL CONVENTION.

Important Subjects Discussed.—A Strong Address.

Cincinnati, O., October 8.—What was said to be the largest collection ever taken up on plates by any church in America; an interpretation by the House of Bishops upon the "open pulpit" subject, and refusal to change the name of the church, were among the most important matters transacted by the triennial convention of the Protestant Episcopal Church in session here today.

While the convention body was in session a communion service was being held in Christ Church, where the donations were being received from the woman's auxiliary for the general missionary fund.

At the conclusion it was announced that the plates placed upon the tables in front of the trustees had been piled with funds aggregating $242,110.83.

The showing was nearly $20,000 in excess of the collection made at Richmond, Pa., three years ago.

In the House of Bishops this morning the reply of the bishops to the petition for an interpretation of the church law regarding the so-called "open pulpit" question was made in language that restricts the use of pulpits in that church to regularly ordained Episcopal ministers.

The proposition for a reconsideration of the ballot by which the House of Bishops refused to create suffragan bishops came up today, but was made a special order for next Wednesday.

The House of Deputies refused to change the name of the church by rejecting by an overwhelming vote a proposed new preamble for the constitution. Rev. A. H. Morrison, of Oregon, led the opposition and by a strong address was largely responsible for the action.

The clerical vote in the project was 13 ayes, 42 nays and 7 divided. The lay vote was 16 ayes, 42 nays and 4 divided. The voting was by delegations.

The Rev. Mr. Morrison caused a sensation when he declared that in accurate statements in the amendment were sufficient to justify its rejection, saying, among other things, that the preamble stated that the Bible was the word of God.

"It is impossible, in this age of scholarship, to maintain that the Bible is the word of God," he said.

OUTLINES.

The State Department yesterday sent the gunboat Princeton to Honduras, which is verging on a revolution, to protect American interests. The gunboat was sent at the request of the government——An alleged scheme to assasinate the President was unfolded yesterday by Miss Delia Torrey, an aunt of Taft, who was visited by a stranger with the information.——Len Zengle won the 200-mile race yesterday on the Quaker City course, defeating Ralph Mulford. There were a number of other winners in the event. ——Former President Roosevelt was given an enthusiastic welcome to Georgia yesterday. On his visit to Atlanta the principal stop of his Southern trip, he spoke on conservation.——New York markets: Money on call nominal, time loans firm but dull. Flour quiet and barely steady. Wheat spot easy No. 2 red 1.03 1-4 elevator and 1.02 1-2 f.o.b. afloat. Corn spot steady, No. 2, 59 3-4 elevator domestic basis to arrive and 59 1-2 afloat. Oats spot steady, standard white 39 1-2. Turpentine firm. Spot cotton closed quiet, 15 points advance, middling uplands 14.65 middling gulf 14.90.

ROOSEVELT GIVEN GEORGIA WELCOME

Conservation and New Nationalism Featured Speeches in Atlanta.

HIS EVENTFUL DAY IN SOUTH

Delivered Address at Uncle Remus Celebration—Says South is Going Forward With Rapid Strides—Eventful.

Atlanta, Ga., Oct. 8.—Theodore Roosevelt came into Georgia today and found awaiting him a welcome which was a warm as that which he has received in any section of the country during his recent travels.

On his arrival in Atlanta he was greeted by crowds which blocked the streets, heedless of the pelting rain, and cheered him as he rode at the head of a parade through the business streets of the city.

Earlier in the day he spent several hours at Rome, Ga., inspecting the Martha Berry school for poor mountain boys and girls, and in speaking to another throng of cheering Georgians.

Colonel Roosevelt made three speches in Atlanta. His first was at the Southern Conservation Congress. After taking dinner with Mayor Maddox, he spoke at the Uncle Remus Day Celebration, which is being held to raise a fund to purchase the home of the late Joel Haris, author of the Uncle Remus stories, and preserve it as a memorial to his work. After speaking of the achievements of Harris, Colonel Roosevelt talked on new nationalism. Then he talked to the negroes of Atlanta in a negro church.

Colonel Roosevelt began his first address at the auditorium with a reiteration of his faith in the conservation movement.

"I believe in conservation with all my heart," he said. "I believe that the time has passed in this country when it is possible for reasonable men longer to permit the waste of natural resources. I believe that nation and State can co-operate in this great movement, and there are only one or two impressions which I think we should endeavor to remove from the public mind.

"Here and there, and notably in the West, you will find men who say that our purpose is to lock up the natural resources of the country. This is just as absurd as if a private individual should say that the farmer was endeavoring to lock up the natural resources of his farm, when he declined to till his land in such ways that it permanently lost its fertility. We do not intend to lock up a single resource, but we do intend that the resources shall be used without waste.

"While it is our duty to give every reward to the proper exercise of individual initiative, it is also our duty to see that the men of exceptional ability display that ability in our interest and not against our interest.

"Certain of the papers which are edited in the shadow of Wall street regard the doctrine which I have enunciated as smacking of anarchy. I think it is really the height of conservatism. I think it will help the honest men of influence and wealth when we discriminate in the sharpest manner between them and their dishonest brothers. Now, it is peculiarly necessary to do that in connection with our natural resources, the ownership of which, if allowed to go into one hand or the hand of one great corporation, may establish a peculiarly oppressive monopoly. Let us then make it the business of the government, National or State, to see that the mineral resources so far as we still have power over them, that the water power of the country, that all similar powers, are used under such governmental regulation as will allow ample profit to the users, and at the same time guarantee the public at large its rights.

"I think that is an essential position for the government to take. I do not believe that we can afford longer to allow men of shrewedness and some times with a lack of scrupulousness, to get possession of the natural resources of the country, and then treat them as purely their own to do with them as they choose. If such a system of monopoly is permitted to grow up in extenso, sooner or later the people will revolt against it, and when they revolt against under such conditions, the revolt will be apt to have mixed along with righteousness of attitude, great uprighteousness of attitude, and holders of the privileges would run great risks of suffering the effects of an improper severity because their predecessors had been treated with an improper leniency."

Colonel Roosevelt then spoke of the necessity of preserving the forests. He expressed the hope that Congress will pass the bill for the creation of the great Appalachian forest reserve saying that it should be peculiarly the work of the national government to see to their preservation.

"I hope, therfore," he continued, "that your representatives in Congress will bestir themselves in this matter.

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REVEALS PLOT AGAINST TAFT

Stranger Tells President's Aunt of Scheme to Assassinate the Executive—Mysterious State of Affairs.

Millbury, Oct. 8.—An alleged scheme for the assassination of President Taft was unfolded to Miss Delia C. Torrey, aunt of the President by a stranger, who called at her home today. The man who refused to give his name, claimed to have overheard the plotters while in Boston. As he depared, he threatened to return and kill Miss Torrey if the matter got into newspapers.

He went away from Millbury as suddenly and as mysteriously as he had come and tonight there is no clue to his whereabouts although Miss Torrey immediately reported the facts to the Millbury authorities and they in turn asked the assistance of the Worcester police. The matter has also been reported to the secret service authorities.

In telling of the man's visit, Miss Torrey said:

"He told me he had been in Boston and had heard some men say they were going to kill the President and he thought I ought to know about it. He did not tell me his name or leave his card, and altogether he was a queer acting man. He said de did not want anything to get into the papers about it and if it did he would come back and kill me. As soon as he had gone I got word to the secret men for he was such a queer acting man that I did not know what might happen."

END OF LONG SEIGE.

One Dead and Several Injured as Result of Man Hunt.

Winter, Wis., October 8.—"If papa comes out, will you promise not to shoot him. He is shot through the hand and wants to surrender." These words, spoken to Sheriff Mike Madden, at the edge of the clearing surrounding the beseiged home by little Helen, youngest daughter of John F. Dietz, brought to an end this afternoon the stubborn resistance of the man who stand for the last six years against what he considered injustice, has attracted widespread interest.

The surrender did not come however, without death and bloodshed. One man is dead, four men and a woman are wounded and much property has been destroyed.

The dead are: Oscar Harp, 35 years old, deputy sheriff; the injured are John Dietz, 49 years old; Charles Colpitch, 35 years old, deputy sheriff; William Rankin, aged 28; Clarence Dietz, Maria Dietz.

The last two named, children of John Dietz, were shot last week by deputies. Harp was found on a hill behind the Dietz cabin, with a bullet hole in his head. With Mont Wiley, Tom Pomerle and William Rankin, all deputies, he had tried to crawl to a place of vantage in the lumber piles, near the Dietz barn, when a well directed bullet caught him.

Dietz was injured while firing from the barn, when a bullet went through a crack and passed through his left hand. Dietz denies that the wound caused him to surrender. To Father Joseph Pilon, the priest, who was largely instrumental in bringing the long contest to a close, he whispered that a baby was about to be born to his wife and he feared that both she and the baby might die. The surrender of Dietz, was dramatic. The alert lumber men, leaning on their rifles at the edge of the clearing, and watching the windows of the log cabin, suddenly saw the flutter of a white handkerchief at the door. Then little Helen appeared and advancing with the cloth above her head, walked to the edge of the clearing, where she announced that her father was willing to surrender.

A short consultation followed between the sheriff and his deputies and Deputy Heffelfinger volunteered to go back with the girl. In the meantime, Father Pilon, in his eagerness to bring the combat to an end, had started running toward the cabin. He waved a handkerchief as he ran and unhesitatingly entered the door. When Helen and Heffelfinger got half way to the cabin they met the priest returning. He did not stop, but hurried in to meet the sheriff.

"Dietz will surrender," the priest said, "but he wants a doctor to dress his wounds."

"I won't trust him," said the sheriff. "he wants to surrender let him come out with his hands over his head."

Sheriff Madden refused to go to the cabin and kept behind a tree. Deputies Thornbahn, Sully, Heffelfinger and Dr. D. G. F. Grafton, of Hayward, went to the cabin, dressed Dietz's wound, handcuffed him and brought them out. Dietz's left hand was in a sling. He was smiling and spoke cheerfully to the newspaper men.

Although there is some feeling in Winter because of the killing of Harp, the town is breathing easier tonight now that the long suspense is over and Dietz is in custody.

Although Dietz has been involved in a number of difficulties on which accounts the authorities have sought his arrest the latest controversy between Dietz and the authorities dates from September 6th, when Dietz shot and seriously wounded Bert Harrel, in Winter, Wis., in a wrangle, it is said, over rent due on a school house. Since the shooting Dietz has defied the sheriff to serve a warrant on him.

The best place to buy your mattings, rugs, window shades and lace curtains is at Rehder's—Fourth Street Bridge. 1t.

GUNBOAT IS SENT TO TROUBLE SCENE

Honduras Appeals to State Department to Protect American Interests.

VERGES ON A REVOLUTION

President Davilla Fears Power of General Valladares, His Military Leader—State of Unrest Throughout Country.

Washington, Oct. 8.—Responding to an appeal from the Honduras government to the State Department, the United States gunboat Princeton is tonight headed for Amapala, a revolutionary hotbed, to look after American interests. The Princeton, commanded by Commander Charles H. Hayes, under instructions from Acting Secretary of the Navy Winthrop, left Acapulco for Amapala at 1 o'clock this afternoon and should reach there in a couple of days. The vessel has been working down the coast from San Francisco the past ten days.

Meantime, at Aamapala, General Jose Marie Valladares, the commandant, self-appointed to the island post three years ago, and too influential in that vicinity to be ousted up to the latest advices, is a figure of interest to the Tegucigalpa government. Valladares is credited with having made threats against the foreigners at Amapala and the consular corps there protested to President Davilla, who promised to remove him yesterday. But the Davilla realized that that action might fan the revolutionary spark into a blaze and took additional precautions to safeguard the government interests. Amapala and Cholupeca usually witness the first flashes of the frequent revolutionary movements in Honduras and often likewise witness the finish. Amapala, on Fonsecabay, a regular port of call of steamships and the recent haven of Dr. Madriz and other Nicaraguan refugees, is a strong place for Valladares to fortify himself against the government's efforet to get rid of him for besides his military command backing him the Honduran foodstuff imports pass through Amapala, and many German wholesale houses are represented there, ensuring large commissary supplies if needed.

The State Department and the Honduran government have been aware of the increasing revolutionary agitation, but the official advices here do not show that an actual revolution has broken out. Government safety there seems to rest in the multiplicity of factions. It is said there are at least five of these, each with a presidential aspirant, each apparently weaker than the government, but the aggregate probably strong enough, if united, to overthrow the Davilla government. The American and Mexican ministers are understood to be the only diplomats now at Tegucigalpa, but the German and French charges are on their way there.

Former Presidents Manuel Bonilla and Policarpo Bonillo, have had their eyes on the presidential chair lately. They are enemies. Guatemala had occasion recently to curb Manuel's efforts to maintain communication with his adherents at home. Policarpo has been more active and was reported a fortnight ago as preparing an expedition to land with arms and supplies on the Atlantic coast of Honduras. President Davilla adopted counter precautions, fortifying several points of expected attack. The revolutionists recentely have counted on the aid of several thousand followers of General Juan Estrada, the Nicaraguan leader, and it is said that a number of American soldiers of fortune have been ready to cast their lot with the revolutionists.

SELLS SUCCEEDS BROWNSLOW.

Nominated for Congress From First Tennessee District.

Knoxville, Tenn., Oct. 8.—State Senator Sam R. Sells will succeed the late Congressman Walter P. Brownlow from the first Tennessee district. In the primary held today by the Republicans of the 12 counties of that district, Sells carried ten of them and has a majority estimated at close to 4,000 votes.

His opponent was Hon. James R. Penland, of Sevier county, formerly United States Attorney for the eastern district of Tennessee.

For the short term which closes next March Dr. Z. D. Massey, of Sevier county, has defeated Hon. A. A. Taylor, of Carter county, a former Congressman and a brother of Senator Robert Taylor, by nearly two to one. The district is overwhelmingly Republican.

FOURTEEN WERE INJURED.

Chicago & Alton Train Jumped Track Yesterday.

St. Louis, Oct. 8.—Fourteen persons were injured, many of them serious, and some fatally, tonight when Chicago & Alton train No. 30, from St. Louis to Jacksonville, Ill., jumped the track two miles south of Jerseyville. Split rails are supposed to have caused the wreck.

Most of the injured are from St. Louis. A relief train was sent out from St. Louis.

PERFECT SHOWER OF VOTES CAME IN

Close of Special Offer in Popularity Contest Brought Thousands of Ballots.

STANDING OF CONTESTANTS

Extra Bonus Turned to Good Account by Many Leaders—Mails Will Bring Others Today—How They Are Lining Up.

They came by troops and platoons!

There was never such a shower of ballots nor such a multiplicity of votes!

Democrat or Republican, Socialist or Populist, the returns were never so gratifying as they were to the contestants in the Star's great popularity contest upon the special bonus offer which closed at 10 o'clock last night. All the candidates seemed to have figured somewhat in the little special effort to make them leaders and the contest office had to be kept open until a late hour to tabulate the results. Another announcement of the standing of the contestants is given in this morning's paper, but, of course, all the contestants are not "showing their hands" and the bonuses are not included in the vote as given.

The special offer attracted the widest attention all over this section of the State and upper South Carolina. It was, without doubt, the most successful special offer ever inaugurated in a newspaper contest in the State. Classifying subscriptions of from four months up, so they could be put on the mailing list and into the hands of the route boys at the earliest possible moment, kept the contest department busy way into the small hours of the morning. Therefore, if you have subscribed and taken advantage of this special offer and do not receive your paper before Tuesday's issue, you will confer a special favor upon the contest department if you do not complain, because hundreds of new subscribers were added to the lists. These subscriptions came in from every section of the State.

Some Contestants Withdraw.

It is only fair to the contestants who are now entered in the contest to say that if they did not secure a club and do not intend to work on subscriptions during the next few weeks, they will certainly lose their opportunity of winning $500 in cash, or the handsome $500 piano, or one of the other valuable premiums.

Not to be Discouraged.

However, those who are down in the list need not feel discouraged, because if they will make up their minds to work, they can easily catch up and be one of the winners. But it behooves them to get busy at once. Any assistance that can be rendered by the contest manager will be most cheerfully given.

Thousands of votes were cast yesterday, nearly every candidate in the race benefitting thereby. A great many of the contestants who were a week ago at the bottom, are rapidly climbing up to the top, and before another week elapses, several of them expect to be leading in their respective districts.

Liberal Premiums.

The contestants who win in this contest will be the ones who work with a will and a determination. The prizes are so liberal and there are so many who will be winners that if a contestant really "works to win" she cannot help but succeed.

The prizes to be given away will soon be on exhibition here in the city, and they are all certainly well worth striving for. The diamond rings, and watches will soon be seen in the windows of Geo. Honnet, and that is enough said. Excellence in all lines is an aim with Honnet, the jeweler. A passer-by, who just drops in finds an assortment of silver up to the standard of the large city shops; then all kinds of diamond and pearl jewelry, cameos, odd art metal wares, and a charmingly original collection are seen in the display cases of the old reliable store.

List of Contestants.

Below will be found a most interesting list of contestants with the number of votes each has to their credit:

DISTRICT I.

Counties of Edgecombe, Wilson, Wake, Mecklenburg, in North Carolina, and all other counties in North and South Carolina not mentioned in the other districts.

Miss Myriam Quackenbush, Burlington	7,720
Miss Nezzie Cason, Chesterfield, S. C.	7,660
Miss Lucy Spencer, Lake Landing	7,310
Miss Ada Bissett, Wilson, N. C.	7,200
Miss Annie Morroe, Mebane, N. C.	6,890
Miss Lizzie Lavender, Lake Landing	5,240
Miss Lillian Burch, Greenville, N. C.	5,160
Mrs. A. A. Hamilton, Battleboro, N. C.	5,110
Miss Delpha Lanier, Williamston	4,995
Miss Lilly Gay, Pinetops, N. C.	4,989
Mrs. Jno. Morris, Oriental, N. C.	4,980
Miss Mittie Moore, Elm City, N. C.	4,935
Miss Sadie Slater, Waltonburg, N. C.	4,930
Miss Elizabeth Marriott, Battleboro	4,770
Miss Ruth Hodgood, Battleboro, N. C.	4,690
Miss Melvina Hoods, Stonewalls, N. C.	3,685
Miss Miriam Johnston, Wintersville	3,675
Miss Vara D. Rose, Rocky Mount	3,485
Miss Annie Ward, Corpeake, N. C.	3,015
Miss Swana Albright, Graham, N. C.	2,910
Miss Elsie Beasley, Colerain, N. C.	2,720
Miss Margaret Bright, New Hill	2,610
Miss Jennie Bryan, Rocky Mount	2,605
Miss Mattie Barnes, Wilson, N. C.	2,560
Miss Marletta Royce, Ryland, N. C.	2,460
Miss Lillie Culabrie, Rock Mount	2,715
Miss Lizzie Cox, Winterville, N. C.	2,540
Miss Lorah Casey, Pantego, N. C.	2,870
Miss Ethel Crowson, Sumter, S. C.	2,710
Miss Lou Corbett, Wilson, N. C.	2,595
Miss Lillie Carter, Elm City, N. C.	2,405
Miss Pattie Dowell, Williamston	2,365
Miss Perne Deans, Colerain, N. C.	2,305
Miss Maud Deans, Wilson, N. C.	2,005
Miss Willie Edwards, Rocky Mount	2,300
Miss Louise Fleming, House, N. C.	2,295
Miss Nellie Fussell, Roseville, N. C.	2,290
Mrs. C. B. Hassell, Williamston, N.C.	2,740
Miss Mattie Hill, Chocowinity, N. C.	2,600
Miss Gussie Hood, Sumter, S. C.	2,565
Miss Mary Hardison, Rocky Mount	2,490
Miss Jessie Holmes, Rocky Mount	2,205
Miss Lizzie Jones, Clyde, N. C.	2,410
Miss Ella Jackson, Cheraw, S. C.	2,410
Miss Ethel Lucas, Lucama, N. C.	2,660
Miss Lucy McCracken, Clyde, N. C.	2,040
Miss Neva McGin, Little River, S. C.	3,320
Miss Emily Morton, Walstonburg, N.C.	2,150
Miss Ethel Malone, Chocowinity	2,915
Miss Florence Milliken, Worthville	2,790
Miss Fannie Nixon, Colerain, N. C.	3,965
Miss Lessie Overton, Stokes, N. C.	2,160
Miss Mamie Powers, Oriental, N. C.	2,240
Miss Nell Phillips, Battleboro, N. C.	8,240
Miss Mary Phillips, Battleboro, N. C.	2,665
Miss Rena Potts, Davidson, N. C.	2,510
Miss Minnie Paris, Rocky Mount, N. C.	2,090
Miss Susie Ross, Stokes, N. C.	5,255
Miss Lucile Rose, Rocky Mount, N. C.	2,890
Miss Bettie Snipes, Mebane, N. C.	2,480
Miss Annie Savage, Pinetops, N. C.	2,090
Miss Pedie Silverthorn, Scranton, N. C.	2,095
Miss Irene Smathers, Clyde, N. C.	2,280
Miss Janie Thompson, Pantego, N.C.	2,085
Miss Lena Tyson, Scranton, N. C.	3,970
Miss Mattie Welch, Edison, N. C.	2,840
Miss Agnes Wood, Graham, N. C.	2,240
Mrs. Rosella Whitley, Elm City	3,065
Miss Ruby Young, Wilson, N. C.	2,695

DISTRICT II.

Counties of Robeson, Scotland, Richmond, Moore, Lee, Anson, in North Carolina; Marion and Marlborough counties in South Carolina.

Miss Hattie Cullins, Mullins, S. C.	8,240
Miss Ethel Hammond, Laurinburg	7,915
Miss Fannie Gilliam, Sanford, N. C.	7,110
Mrs. M. M. Singletary, Lumberton	7,045
Miss Bessie Gordon, Hamlet, N. C.	7,005
Miss Elizabeth Wishart, Lumberton	7,530
Miss Nannie Jackson, Carthage, N. C.	6,325
Miss Gussie Mitchell, Fairmont, N. C.	6,295
Miss Alfe Pearsall, Red Springs	6,285
Mrs. Joe Thompson, Lumberton	5,765
Miss Eva Moore, Wadesboro, N. C.	5,450
Miss Janie Stubbs, Clio, S. C.	5,260
Miss Annie Brewer, McColl, S. C.	5,185
Miss Virginia Stanback, Maxton	4,990
Miss M. Foxworth, Britton's Neck, N. C.	4,990
Miss Mabel Muse, Cameron, N. C.	4,945
Miss Kate McAllister, Fee Dee, N. C.	4,910
Miss Rosa McMillan, Red Spgs, N. C.	4,870
Miss Emma King, Stanford, N. C.	4,680
Miss Lizzie Yarboro, Jonesboro	4,660
Miss Aleen Crowder, Beaufield, N. C.	4,610
Miss Mary McNeil, Aiken, S. C.	4,290
Miss Bert Kelley, So. Pines, N. C.	4,210
Miss Evelyn Diggs, Rockingham, N. C.	4,240
Miss Lillian Fonville, Lumberton	3,310
Miss Ola Bostick, Britton's Neck, S.C.	2,000
Miss Lennie Beacham, Polkton, N. C.	3,745
Mrs. Bergie Bricker, Polkton, N. C.	2,600
Miss Lucile Bilyen, So. Pines	3,000
Miss Katie Brown, Red Springs, N.C.	2,180
Miss Ada Barry, Sanford, N. C.	3,960
Miss Mary Copeland, Jonesboro	3,870
Miss Bessie Cameron, Jonesboro, N.C.	2,060
Miss Flora Chasten, Polkton, N. C.	2,980
Miss Lilly Dairymple, Jonesboro	2,680
Miss Josie Doub, Jonesboro, N. C.	2,690
Miss Ellie Davis, Red Springs, N. C.	5,280
Miss Ida Frye, Carthage, N. C.	4,765
Miss Clennie Graham, Red Spgs, N.C.	2,610
Miss Pattie Gaitly, Rowland, N. C.	2,615
Miss Reba Harley, Gibson, N. C.	3,970
Miss Nannie Heggie, Mullins, S. C.	2,420
Miss Cary Howard, Sanford, N. C.	2,200
Miss Bessie Laughlin, Broadway, N.C.	2,910
Miss Kate McLean, Keyser, N. C.	2,315
Miss Josie McNeill, Lumberton, N. C.	2,980
Miss Sadie McKenzie, Lumberton, N.C.	2,300
Miss Nannie Morris, Swan Sta'n	3,970
Miss Flossie Napier, Polkton, N. C.	2,435
Miss Virginia Pillow, Hamlet, N. C.	2,790
Miss Amelia Parsons, Rockingham	3,970
Miss Carrie McNeill, Red Spgs, N. C.	2,205
Miss Annie Price, Rockingham, N. C.	2,980
Miss Annie Roper, Laurinburg, N.C.	2,310
Mrs. Hugh R. Smith, Pee Dee, N. C.	2,180
Miss Polly Smith, Mullins, S. C.	2,060
Miss Hattie Seawell, Carthage, N. C.	2,995
Miss Estelle Steed, Maxton, N. C.	2,480
Miss Emma Taylor, Sanford, N. C.	3,940
Miss Mitchell Waddell, Carthage, N.C.	2,040
Miss Mildred Williams, Sanford, N. C.	2,090
Miss Clara Womble, Sanford, N. C.	2,090

DISTRICT III.

Counties of Brunswick, Columbus, Bladen, Sampson, Cumberland, Harnett and Johnston, in North Carolina; Horry and Florence counties, in South Carolina.

Miss Blannie Baldwin, Whiteville	13,020
Miss Kiddie Hinnant, Kelly, N. C.	10,460
Miss Charlotte Adkins, Southport	8,380
Miss Nannie Britts, Conway, S. C.	8,115
Miss Nellie Clarke, Manchester, N. C.	8,080
Miss Ruth White, Shallotte, N. C.	7,995
Miss Maude Clarke, Clarkton, N. C.	7,960
Miss Daisy Smith, Fayetteville, N. C.	7,960
Miss Louise Sloan, Little Rivers, S. C.	7,960
Mrs. Nicie Powell, Bladenboro, N. C.	7,105
Miss Frances Sedberry, Fayetteville	7,000
Miss Pearl Rinn, Little River, S. C.	6,900
Miss Lula McQueen, Loris, S. C.	6,880
Miss Alice Johnson, Raeford, N. C.	6,760
Miss Flossie Gerald, Dunn, N. C.	6,410
Miss Kate Gaster, Fayetteville, N. C.	6,285
Miss Elise Jordan, Conway, S. C.	5,880
Mrs. R. G. Ivey, Conway, S. C.	5,880
Miss Laura Dell Clark, Clarkton	5,605
Mrs. Clara Shaw, Elizabethtown, N. C.	5,235
Miss Jewell Hall, Benson, N. C.	5,095
Miss Bessie Baldwin, Whiteville, N. C.	5,015
Mrs. E. M. Nance, Fair Bluff, N. C.	5,000
Mrs. Carrie Butler, Loris, S. C.	4,970
Miss Meta Barrington, Dunn, N. C.	4,910
Mrs. Maggie McEachan, Vineland	4,880
Miss Kate Sinclair, Fayetteville, N. C.	4,260
Miss Ben Swalin, Sidbury, N. C.	4,120
Miss Flora Cromartie, Garland, N. C.	3,940
Miss Kate Smith, Elkton, N. C.	3,810
Miss Mary Burris, Southport, N. C.	3,740
Miss Eva Spell, Roseboro, N. C.	3,345
Mrs. R. S. Altman, Savage, S. C.	3,870
Miss Annie Aycock, Kenly, N. C.	2,410
Miss Mary Allen, Bolton, N. C.	3,260
Miss Bessie Rice, Rafford, N. C.	2,460
Miss Bertha Benton, Vineland, N. C.	2,000
Miss Margaret Crowson, Fayetteville	2,410
Miss Mildred Edwards, Chadbourn	2,425
Miss Mattie Gore, Longs, S. C.	2,270
Miss Beula Grimes, Raeford, N. C.	2,060
Mrs. J. A. Hafham, Bladenboro, N. C.	3,715
Mrs. N. G. Hayville, Florence, S. C.	3,240
Miss Helen Hand, Chadbourn, N. C.	2,310
Mrs. E. W. Jones, Shallotte, N. C.	2,790
Miss Eva Lanhon, Benson, N. C.	5,370
Miss Clyda Lee, Dunson, N. C.	2,340
Miss Mattie McLaughlin, Raeford, N. C.	2,490
Miss Irene Memory, Whiteville, N.C.	2,030
Miss Fodie Melvin, White Oak, N. C.	2,915
Mrs. C. F. Powell Conway, S. C.	2,210
Miss Ivey Pearson, Dunn, N. C.	2,410
Miss Rebecca Perritt, Florence, S. C.	2,420
Miss Caddie Purvis, Dunn, N. C.	2,295
Miss Ivey Porter, Lisbon, C.	2,660
Miss Ethel Pennington, Princeton, N.C.	2,060
Miss L. J. Russell, Vineland, N. C.	2,490
Miss B. Ramsbottom, Chadbourn, N.C.	2,050
Mrs. G. M. Scott, Fayetteville, N. C.	2,460
Miss Mary Register, Elizabethtown	2,780
Miss Mary Ryals, Benson, N. C.	2,060
Miss Bessie Stephens, Dunn, N. C.	2,460
Mrs. H. L. Singleton, Loris, S. C.	2,995
Miss Ethel Sutton, Dunn, N. C.	2,450
Mrs. L. W. Strickland, Stedman, N. C.	2,950
Miss Henrietta Shaw, Clarkton, N.C.	2,310
Miss Camella White, Savage, S. C.	2,280
Miss Katie Wall, Clayton, N. C.	2,460
Miss May D. Wooten, Charbourn	2,625
Miss M. Youngblood, Fayetteville, N.C.	2,000
Mrs. A. W. Jenkins, Jr., Fair Bluff N. C.	2,625
Miss Martha Simmons, Mintz, N. C.	2,025

DISTRICT IV.

New Hanover county outside of Wilmington; also counties of Pender, Onslow, Duplin, Jones, Craven, Carteret, Lenoir and Wayne, North Carolina.

Miss Neenah Woods, Delgado	30,720
Miss Gertrude Bryan, Scott's Hill	11,195
Miss Aldine Best, Warsaw	10,615
Miss Pearle Warters, Newbern	9,220
Miss Addie Warrick, Goldsboro	4,790
Miss Mamie Johnson, Goldsboro	4,650
Miss Eth l Clough, Bowdens	4,615
Miss Laurie Grady, Dudley	3,970
Miss Katie Page, Peachey's	3,075
Miss Addie Albritton, Pikeville	2,680
Miss Ethel Armstrong, Newbern	2,410
Miss Pattie Aaron, Mt. Olive	2,310
Miss Bertie Beeton, Eureka	2,995
Miss May Barry, Pollocksville	2,360
Miss Addie Balance, Freemont	2,090
Miss C. Cameron, Castle Haynes	2,865
Mrs. R. L. Carr, Magnolia	2,795
Miss Sallie G. Carroll, Magnolia	3,085
Miss Susie Canady, Magnolia	2,010
Miss Jessie Dempsey, Wallace	2,315
Miss Lucille Dixon, Kinston	2,090
Miss Lillian Dunn, Kinston	2,710
Miss Essie Edwards, Goldsboro	2,660
Miss Adelaide Ford, Wrightsville	2,545
Miss Charlotte Fennell, Wrightsville	2,870
Miss Joe Hewitt, Maysville	2,760
Miss Ethel Haucock, Newbern	3,260

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Athletics	102	48	.680
New York	87	64	.576
Detroit	85	68	.556
Boston	82	71	.536
Cleveland	70	80	.467
Chicago	68	84	.447
Washington	66	85	.437
St. Louis	46	105	.303

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Chicago	99	48	.674
New York	90	61	.596
Pittsburg	86	65	.570
Philadelphia	76	74	.507
Cincinnati	74	79	.484
Brooklyn	64	88	.421
St. Louis	61	86	.415
Boston	61	100	.398

Mrs. John Hosea, Pikeville	2,060
Miss Bettie Harker, Morehead City	2,060
Miss Elizabeth Hicks, Faison	2,865
Miss Hilda Jacobs, Newbern	2,375
Miss Effie Johnson, Kennansville	2,910
Miss Ellen McPhail, Mt. Olive	2,010
Miss Mildred Murrill, Jacksonville	2,780
Miss Geneva Moore, Burgaw	2,695
Miss Lula Mallard, Trenton	2,610
Miss Ida Lee Middleton, Goldsboro	2,380
Miss Sallie Parrott, Kinston	2,000
Miss Annie Randolph, Kinston	3,870
Miss Rosalie Sawyer, Eureka	2,000
Miss Daily Stanley, Swansboro	2,960
Miss May Swindell, Morehead City	2,030
Miss Bessie Stanton, Wrightsville	2,410
Miss Augusta Thompson, Faison	2,960
Miss Mary Turner, Newbern	2,460
Miss Margaret Waters, Newbern	2,490
Miss Fannie Wilson, Warsaw	2,285
Miss Glennie Willis, Newbern	2,745
Blanche Worsley, Warsaw, N. C.	2,035
Mrs. W. T. Porter, Emerson, N. C.	2,445

DISTRICT V.

That portion of the city of Wilmington north of Princess street.

Mrs. J. H. Niggel	37,615
Miss Gordon Thomson	15,930
Miss Custys Meredith	14,090
Miss Louise Powers	13,075
Miss Marion Summerell	12,775
Mrs. M. L. Fox	9,275
Miss Edna LaNier	7,585
Miss Hortence Strickland	7,445
Mrs. Owen Smith	7,380
Miss Johanna Rehder	7,150
Miss Helen Bright	6,710
Miss Lottie Conway	6,470
Mrs. A. B. Sandlin	6,130
Miss Fannie Grabtree	5,780
Miss Ruth Jervais	4,790
Miss Gladys Twining	4,765
Miss Maud Wilson	4,710
Miss Mary Worth	4,620
Miss Lucile Burkheimer	4,455
Miss Gaynelle Nixon	4,345
Mrs. R. H. Jarman	4,280
Miss Lilas Queich	4,065
Miss Josephine	4,000
Miss Marguerite Bergen	3,465
Miss Grace Darden	2,410
Miss Monie Pullock	2,280
Miss Annie Banks	2,490
Miss Rosa Mae Furlong	2,260
Miss Louise Geisher	2,405
Mrs. N. L. Bissinger	3,360
Miss Grant	2,000
Miss Lillian Vaughn	2,610
Miss Lena Bell Royles	2,210
Miss Annie M. Gore	2,015
Miss Maggie Smith	2,360
Miss Mamie Lossen	2,310
Miss Ruby Riggs	2,550
Miss Rosa Moor	2,460
Miss Hazel Black	2,380
Miss Lottie Frink	3,360
Miss Maude Frink	2,030
Miss Ollie Rembert	2,290
Miss Annie Leah Mercer	2,495
Miss Katherine Von Glahn	2,390
Miss Rosalin Pigford	2,490
Miss Hazel Howie	3,265
Miss Rosa Lorenzo	2,495
Miss Janie Elmore	2,970
Miss Genevieve Dushan	2,970
Miss Bryana Whitlock	2,290
Miss Josephine Harriss	2,495
Miss Maria Morrison	2,005
Miss Adelaide Keith	3,040
Miss Emma Hazel King	2,315
Miss Laura W. Reid	2,685
Miss Ursula Willis	2,065
Miss Lula Conway	2,290
Mrs. C. J. Roberts	2,385
Mrs. G. P. Williams	2,745
Miss Emily Yeager	2,205
Miss Pearl Hayes	2,760
Miss Katie Clements	2,910
Miss Mary Heuston	2,390
Miss Annie Murray	2,325
Miss Frances Carroll	2,060
Miss Mamie Godwin	2,475
Miss Lucile Page	2,120

DISTRICT VI.

That portion of the city of Wilmington south of Princess street.

Miss Ellie B. White	35,005
Miss Lena Simmons	22,145
Miss Margaret King	20,415
Miss Hattie King	14,995
Miss Eva Kaminsky	10,210
Miss Billie Southerland	7,790
Miss Athalia Bunting	7,025
Miss Eliza Collins	6,870
Miss Lena Kingsbury	5,395
Miss Mary Hayden	5,010
Miss Lillian Davis	4,870
Miss Ollie Meier	4,760
Miss Elizabeth Bullard	4,090
Miss Margaret Dukes	4,010
Miss Gay King	4,010
Miss Lillian Allan	3,825
Miss Vernell Huband	3,645
Miss Annie Griffith	3,450
Miss Mollie Holton	3,280
Miss Bessie Herat	3,100
Miss Margaret Kingsbury	3,000
Miss Esther Newton	3,045
Miss Mary Louise Stover	3,970
Miss Catherine Manning	2,490
Miss Sophia Kohler	2,670
Miss Lottie Fergus	2,490
Miss Gladys Carter	2,965
Miss Alberta Smith	2,760
Miss Berta Cox	2,610
Miss Louise Snead	2,090
Miss Maggie Hall	2,110
Miss Effie Mason	2,790
Miss Myrtle Skipper	2,435
Miss Nellie Cammarar	2,065
Miss Lettie Taylor	2,290
Miss Dena Gore	2,260
Miss Nellie Dooley	2,380
Miss Dorothy Cheek	3,975
Miss Jennie Murchison	2,060
Miss Gertrude Sneed	2,415
Miss Eva May Berry	2,465
Miss Julia Faison	2,190
Miss Mable Vineburg	2,090
Miss Anna Ray Weeks	2,005
Miss Ida Harowitz	3,060
Miss Marie Causley	2,260
Miss Emmie Belle LeGwin	2,290
Miss Emma Lassen	3,005
Miss Ethel May Solomon	2,790
Miss Emily Westbrook	3,860
Miss Goldie Griffith	2,995
Miss Alma Jones	2,765
Miss Lillian McEachern	2,365
Miss Mary Jackson	2,365
Miss Cornelia Fleet	2,390
Miss Mary Jackson	2,365
Miss Miriam McClammy	2,160
Miss Elizabeth Sale	2,460
Miss Adelaide Worth	3,005
Miss Cora Bell Blair	2,415
Miss Katie Lee Merriman	2,160
Miss Eleanor Harriss	2,825
Miss Willie Fergus	2,460
Miss Gladys O'Keefe	2,150
Miss Louise Welch	2,265
Miss Elsie Risley	2,060
Miss Janie Branch	2,805
Miss Myrtle Clements	2,810
Miss Emma Lee Galloway	3,310
Miss Sadie Lindquist	2,655
Mrs. C. H. Beardsley	2,175
Miss Lizzie Chadwick	2,225
Miss Margaret Cretean	3,470
Miss Katie Neigh	2,035
Miss Elma Coston	2,015

BOYS CONTEST.

DISTRICT I.

Paul Hammond, Wilmington	27,495
Claude Cooper	26,075
Samuel Behrends	16,665
Ivar Palmgren	16,525
W. L. West, Jr.	16,030
Robert Kingsbury	9,925
John Hayes	8,510
Murray Grant	7,930
Jack Crammer	7,290
Arthur Savage	6,245
Baxter Rogers	5,490
William Bremer	4,665
Clayton King	4,580
Henry Richter	4,550
Edward Johnson	4,515
Robert Snakenberg	4,015
Raymond O'Keefe	3,890
Farley Hay	3,860
Sheldon Mitchell	3,175
George Feluchen	3,095
H. J. Haar	3,070
Norman Shepard	3,145
Mayduu Floyd	3,790
Elmer Lundy	2,220
W. R. Hay	2,450
Earl Boushee	3,080
Jas. W. Jackson, Jr.	2,355
Harvy Kenan	2,695
John Boesch	2,940
Kenneth Partin	2,980
Henry Sneed	2,655
Archie Warren, Jr.	2,785
James Woolvin	3,070
Charlie Nixon	3,450
Arthur Beach	2,280
Allen Norwood	3,080
Edgar Williams	2,080
Marion Rhodes	3,040
Goodwn Davis	2,690
Harris Sloue	2,705
Armistead Mercer	2,910
Thomas B. Woods	2,355
Theodore Hashagen	3,315
Geo. Bland	2,010
Robt. DeRosset, Jr.	2,035
James Howard	2,005
Joe Starkey	2,035
Marsden DeRossett	2,025
B. J. Bryan, Jr.	2,025
T. W. Bennett	2,095

DISTRICT II.

Hal Brown, Fairmont	9,195
Loy M. Seawell, Putnam, N. C.	7,530
De Bernia Debriam, Selma, N. C.	7,430
L. H. Maslow, Burgess, C.	7,240
Jamie McQueen, Dunbar, S. C.	7,296
Archie Lewis, Gallivant's Ferry, S. C.	7,010
Jefferson Barefoot, Benson, N. C.	6,530
Dosier Rourk, Southport, N. C.	6,510
Earl Underwood, Sanford, N. C.	6,480
John R. Sloan, Sanford, N. C.	6,280
Murdock McRae, Maxton, N. C.	5,250
Kessler Johnson, Lumber Bridge	6,200
Ogden Phillips, McFarlan, N. C.	5,790
Smith Stubbs, Dillon, S. C.	5,650
H. Thompson, Wampee, S. C.	5,360
John Barham, Jr., Green Sea, S. C.	4,960
Walter Bowden, Lumberton, N. C.	4,945
Charlie Bell, N. Harlowe, N. C.	4,910
George W. Maners, Putnam, N. C.	4,780
Joe Holloweil, Newbern, N. C.	4,635
William Sheetz, Fayetteville, N. C.	4,565
Wilbur Williamson, Bladenboro	4,090
Preston Collins, Maysville, N. C.	4,090
Douglas Ivey, Dillon, S. C.	4,060
Lewis Shelby, Lumberton, N. C.	3,880
Ezra Baldwin, Whiteville, N. C.	3,855
J. Shepard Bryan, Scott's Hill, N. C.	3,790
Joe Stephens, Dunn, N. C.	3,765
Probert Hall, Mt. Olive, N. C.	3,685
Carr Herrington, Newport, N. C.	3,452
John Barham, Jr., Green Sea, S. C.	3,400
Wm. Burris, Southport	3,370
Archibald Black, Ivanhoe, N. C.	3,405
Garland Nicholson, Richland, N. C.	2,870
C. L. Abernathy, Beaufort, N. C.	2,260
M. T. Davis, Beaufort, N. C.	2,290
Everett Winton, Society Hill, S. C.	2,690
George Griggs, Society Hill, S. C.	2,315
Walter Matlock, Maysville, N. C.	2,790
Paul Lee, Benson, N. C.	2,610
Ralph Hauser, Morehead City, N. C.	2,085
William Carr, Wallace, N. C.	2,090
Carr Sutherland, Wallace, N. C.	2,230
Carl Jernigan, Dunn, N. C.	2,090
Drexel Holt, Princeton, N. C.	2,240
Ben Hassell, Selma, N. C.	2,210
John Steele, Fayetteville, N. C.	2,785
M. B. Kelliihan, Cerro Gordo, N. C.	2,320
Clarence Carter, Cerro Gordo, N. C.	2,105
C. W. Teal, McFarlan, N. C.	2,290
Warren Winslow, Goldsboro, N. C.	3,990
George Sutherland, Goldsboro, N. C.	2,040
W. W. Miller, Rocky Mount, N. C.	2,965
Ardry Costeen, Rocky Point, N. C.	2,040
T. H. Herman, Kenly, N. C.	2,310
Ed Newton, Southport, N. C.	2,105
Willie Hinstus, Clio, S. C.	2,165
LeRoy Jackson, Dillon, S. C.	2,045
J. H. Hamilton, Bayboro, N. C.	2,010
George Johnson, Gallivant's Ferry	2,315
Clarence Hammond, Hamlet, N. C.	2,060
Tom Blount, Elm City, N. C.	2,035
Linard Jardan, Elm City, N. C.	2,000
Seymore Hancock, Newbern, N. C.	3,360
William Scott, Mullins, S. C.	2,985
James Platt, Mullins, S. C.	2,740
Roscoe Wood, Wampee, S. C.	2,160
C. L. Abernathy, Beaufort, N. C.	2,260
Neal Baker, Eulonia, S. C.	2,210
Hubert Wall, Eulonia, S. C.	2,745
Joshua Rhodes, Washington, N. C.	2,490
Jack Lang, Farmville, N. C.	2,210
R. H. Thomas, Stokes, N. C.	2,260
R. F. Fleming, Stokes, N. C.	3,900
Thomas Dupree, Greenville, N. C.	2,410
Henry Hill, Ansonville, N. C.	2,260
Carl Giddens, Clinton, N. C.	2,080
Harrington Hobbs, Clinton, N. C.	2,010
Leo Spivey, Gallivant's Ferry, S. C.	2,005
Mat Johnson, Burgess, S. C.	2,000
E. C. Williams, Greenville, N. C.	2,365
James Bridges, Bladenboro, N. C.	2,490
Kenneth Crow, Mt. Olive, N. C.	2,210
C. C. Morgan, Mt. Olive, N. C.	2,160
C. M. Lupo, Green Sea, N. C.	2,855
A. M. Howell, Pikeville, N. C.	2,360
Joseph Hollowell, Newbern, N. C.	2,050
Oscar Clark, Clarkton	2,585
John Gore, Long's S. C.	2,005

INEXPRESSIBLY SAD DEATH.

Miss Mary Black Passed Away Very Suddenly Last Night.

Hundreds of friends in this city and elsewhere will learn with infinite sorrow of the death of Miss Mary Black, one of Wilmington's best known and most popular young ladies, who passed away very suddenly shortly after 11 o'clock last night at the home of her uncle, Dr. J. E. Matthews, 210 Nun street. Heart disease was the cause of death. Her passing will be mourned by countless numbers who knew and admired her for her many lovely traits of character. There is always a sadness about deaths, especially so when one is stricken in the bloom of life and with but a few moments' warning of the approaching visit of the Grim Reaper. Miss Black had not been in very good health for some time, but was apparently as well as usual last evening and was out for a short time. Soon after returning home she began to complain of feeling ill and a physician was hurriedly summoned. She continued to grow worse, however, and lived only about three quarters of an hour after being seized with the attack.

Miss Black was 23 years old and was a daughter of the late Mr. A. D. Black, who passed away at Southport about two years ago. Her mother also preceded her to the grave. Since the death of her father she and her sister, Miss Chrissie Black, have made their home with their aunt, Mrs. Matthews. Besides her sister, she is survived by one brother, Mr. James M. Black, of Durham, vice president and general manger of the E. B. Lyon Automobile Company. He was notified by telegraph last night of the sad death of his sister and is expected to arrive today. The bereaved will have the tenderest sympathy of hundreds of friends in this trying hour.

The funeral arrangements had not been made last night. It is probable that the body will be taken to Red Springs,

THE WEEK AT LUMBERTON

County Campaign Opens—Eggs Are Scarce—Theatrical Attractions—Other Personal and General News Items.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Lumberton, N. C., Oct. 8.—The county campaign will open Monday, when it is supposed the opposing candidates will tell the "dear people" what they know about each other, and each will endeavor to show the voters in the opposite party why he should change over. Both parties have appointments for the same time and places in the county, and each party has invited the other to a joint debate so it really looks as if there would be something doing. We do not know all the nominees on either ticket, but know enough to feel sure that the Democrats would have a hard time improving on theirs. All the old county officers were re-nominated but one, clerk of the court. Mr. C. B. Skipper, the nominee for that place, is one of the cleanest men in every way in the county, and as the people decided to make a change they could not have made a wiser selection. Mr. Skipper is one man nominated for office who no one can say was nominated by any other means than on his own merits and the loyalty of his friends. We are told that money was offered him to be used in securing the nomination, but he refused every such offer, saying he did not want the office that way. Mr. Humphrey has made one of the best clerks the county ever had, and the only reason given for the change was that the voters of the county seemed to think three terms in that office was enough for any one man.

The Star man was called into a business place one day this week and was informed by the proprietor that he wanted to furnish a good news item for the Sunday Star. With thanks, we asked the nature of it. He said that a few days ago a lady residing in the country, had served on her a warrant by the sheriff or a deputy, while on her death bed, she having died soon afterward. He said he wanted people to know what kind of a sheriff the county had, and wanted to get it in the papers. We asked him who swore out the papers referred too, and he said that made no difference—he wanted to get the burden of it on the sheriff. We told him he stopped the wrong man—that we were not in that kind of business. In speaking of the matter to the sheriff, he said he did have some papers to serve on the deceased and her husband, but did not know of her sickness when the deputy went to serve the papers. The gentleman who caused the papers to be issued, upon learning of the illness of the lady, dropped the matter then and there. Since the lady died, the husband came in and paid the claim, together with the costs. He did not seem to be so much hurt as a disinterested party who, having some little personal feeling against the sheriff, would use such stuff to try to injure him.

Only very recently eggs were being shipped from Lumberton to the Northern markets in large quantities, but now some of the merchants are compelled to order eggs from other places in order to supply their customers. Norfolk and Wilmington are both shipping eggs to Lumberton. The people through the country don't have to sell and prefer to use their own themselves. Many times have we seen eggs sell here three dozen for 25 cents, but now it is all one can do to get one dozen for that amount.

The building which is just about completed on the corner opposite the court house, which some people seem to think when its erection was commenced, was to be Lumberton's new government building, will be occupied beginning some time next week, by Mr. C. S. Garrell, and will be used as a fresh meat stand. Lumberton will then have three meat markets. Mr. Hinds, who has conducted the business here for several years, will have in opposition Mr. Garrell and C. H. Cole, a colored man, who operates a meat market at the west end of the old bridge.

Mr. Robert Lamb, landscape gardener from Fayetteville, has been here for several days, engaged in laying off walks and beautifying the grounds of the new First Baptist church, which is nearing completion.

If Coburn's minstrels is anything like the paper with which the town is billed, it will be all to the good. It has the reputation of being one of the best on the road and will doubtless play to a packed house when it appears here next Wednesday evening, October 12th. Reserved seats go on sale at McWilliams' drug store Monday morning. Several people have already asked to have reserved seats marked off for them. One gentleman who was here yesterday from another town, in this county, asked a friend here to secure six seats for him as soon as they went on sale. Another 'phoned in last night to have several reserved. People wishing to witness a good minstrel performance should secure their seats in time, so as to be sure of them.

This section was visited by light rains yesterday evening and last night and the thermometer took a sudden fall also. The rain and cooler weather were both welcome.

As has already been announced, the Demorest Comedy Company will fill a week's engagement here, commencing Monday, October 31st. It will be a great pleasure to all our people to know that on the coming of this company they will again have the opportunity of meeting Mrs. Marie DeGafferelly, who spent several months here last year, during which time she made many friends. Our people regard Mrs. DeGafferelly as one of themselves, and it is safe to say that she has more real friends here than any person who has not resided here longer than she did.

Wm. Yarborough, a colored barber, a native of Wilmington, who spent some time here, and later left for Virginia, made some friends here who seem not to forget him. We are reliably informed that "Aunt" Jennie Kelly, one of Wiliam's friends, sent him by express this week a bag containing 5 heads of collards, 1 peck of sweet potatoes, 2 quarts dry peas, 4 friend mullets and one fried bream. We do not know if she paid the express charges or not.

As the James Adams 10 cent show, under canvass, will occupy the vacant lot across the street from the motion picture show, all next week, the manager has decided it the better part of wisdom to remain closed during the week, but will be ready for the business again Monday week, the 17th.

Two representatives from the Radcliffe Entertainment Company have been here this week trying to work up a course for the coming season, but we have not learned with what success.

The telephone people have been engaged this week removing the old wire and cross arms from the poles in town which makes quite a difference in the appearance of the streets. When the wires and cross arms are removed, the poles will be sawed off a short distance above the cabics which take the place of the old wires, and that will be another great improvement.

The Robesonian having become disgusted with corroded water pipes, or some other trouble, which caused its press to move too slow, has installed a gasoline engine and discarded the water service.

We heard it stated in railroad circles yesterday, that the Kingsdale Lumber Company was now forty carloads behind with its orders, because cars could not be furnished. The reason assigned was on account of the movement of cotton.

Postoffice Inspector Kelly spent Wednesday in Lumberton, on one of his inspection trips.—Mrs. K. M. Biggs left for Raleigh yesterday where she went to visit her mother and other relatives.—Mr. B. F. McLean of Maxton, spent yesterday in Lumberton.

The decorators who are working on the interior of the new Baptist church, expect to finish their work next week and that congregation will then have one of the prettiest houses of worship in this section of the State. One of the men who are doing the work is a native of Germany, and is said to be one of the finest decorators in this country. He informed us that he assisted on the work of decorating the handsome residence of John D. Rockefeller, the Oil King.

We must think chickens have about reached the limit in price in this section. Medium-sized broilers sold here yesterday at 40 cents each.—Dr. T. A. Norment, who gave up his practice a year or two ago, on account of his own health, has resumed his practice.

Prof. Sentelle is not letting the grass grow under his feet. In addition to his duties as superintendent of the graded school, he is conducting a night school for the benefit of the young men who are engaged during the day, but want to take the benefiit of every advantage offered them in securing a good business education. The young men attending the night school are to be congratulated upon having such an able scholar to instruct them.

Lillie Marion Allen, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. R. T. Allen, entertained a number of her little friends at a birthday party one afternoon this week and it was a great time the little folks had. They would be glad for Marion to have a birthday every week, especially if she would have a party.

Mrs. W. W. Carlyle entertained a large crowd of little girls at a picnic in the woods yesterday afternoon, and, judging from the way they were singing on their return to town, it is useless to say they had a good time and enjoyed the trip to the fullest extent.

At a meeting of the town commissioners held this week, Mr. C. B. Skipper resigned as town clerk and treasurer, to take effect November 1st, and Mr. Woodberry Lennon was elected to fill out the unexpired term. Mr. A. R. Caldwell was re elected tax collector.

Mr. Jas. Russell, architect, of Augusta, Ga., arrived here this week on a visit to his parents, Capt. and Mrs. J. P. Russell.

MEETS AT CHADBOURN.

Columbus County Grand Rally Day With Prominent Speakers.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Chadbourn, N. C., Oct. 8.—On October 25th there will assemble at Chadbourn the largest crowd seen in Columbus county for many a day, if present indications mean anything. The occasion will be that of a Farmers' Union and Educational rally. Dr. H. Q. Alexander, State president of the Farmers' Union, and Dr. J. Y. Joyner, State Superintendent of Education, will both be present; and this announcement alone is sufficient to draw a large crowd. The schools of the county will be dismissed on that day and the teachers requested to attend the rally with their school en masse. It is planned to have a parade for the children and other features will be arranged. One of the most interesting features that is being planned is the exhibit feature. This is awakening wide interest and promises to be one of the greatest features of the day. To add to this feature a number of prizes are being offered for the best article of a specified kind exhibited. This through the generosity of a number of Wilmington merchants, bankers and business men, besides a number of the business men of the county. This will bring out the resources of the county as nothing has ever done, and will be worth a trip of several miles to see.

The Farmers' Union of the county is about 500 strong at the present time, having been organized only last February, and is growing very rapidly. This, therefore, is their first attempt at a picnic and rally, but from the way it is moving it will not only become an annual thing, but will be the beginning of a Columbus County Fair. With an extensive exhibit of farm products, from the barn and kitchen, a parade of school children, numbering upwards of a thousand—six thousand in the county—and with the good speaking assured by the men on the programme and the many good things to eat that is assured from the fact that all country people are asked to bring their baskets well filled, there is every inducement for outside parties to attend. The invitation is therefore extended and it is the hope of the people of Chadbourn and of Columbus county that they be given the opportunity of entertaining many of their friends of the surrounding section.

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WELDON NEWS NOTES.

Personal Mostly But Some Otherwise. —U. D. C. In Session.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Weldon, N. C., Oct. 8.—Wright Partin, of Enfield, spent Sunday here.—Miss Katherine Ward left Thursday to attend school in Norfolk.—Miss Eunice Clark left last week for Wilmington, where she goes to teach school.—Miss Emily Phelps left Thursday for the Hunnah Moore College, near Baltimore.—Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Cohen, who have been spending the past several weeks in Washington, D. C., have returned home.—Mrs. Guy Hudson, who has been visiting relatives in Durham, have returned home.

Miss Louise Poteat, of Wake Forest, is the guest of Miss Jeannette Daniel.—Mrs. W. L. Jones, of Wilmington, who has been the guest of Dr. and Mrs. I. E. Green, has returned home.—Mrs. R. W. Partin, of Enfield, is here on a visit to her parents.—Miss Mary Bell Fillyaw, of Wilmington, who has been visiting relatives here, has returned home.—Mrs. J. T. Gooch, who has been visiting relatives and friends in Washington, Baltimore, New York and Fall River, Mass., has returned home.

E. L. Whitehead, of Enfield was here Thursday.—Mrs. H. L. Allen has returned home from a visit to relatives at Whitakers and Dunn.—William T. Shaw, Jr., who is at the A. & M. College this year, has been elected president of the freshman class.—A called meeting of the Junius Daniel Chapter, U. D. C., was held at Mrs. W. T. Shaw's home Tuesday afternoon.—Mrs. A. S. Travis was elected president; vice, Mrs. T. C. Harrison, resigned, and Mrs. J. B. Zollicoffer, corresponding secretary.

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PRESIDENT OF TRINITY.

Dr. Few Will be Inaugurated Tomorrow—Judson to Speak.

Durham, N. C., Oct. 8.—The inauguration of William Preston Few, Ph. D., as president of Trinity College, will take place at Durham next Monday morning. Dr. Harry Pratt Judson, president of the University of Chicago, will deliver the congratulatory address in behalf of the delegates from other institutions.

Preceding the regular induction exercises, the new building, the first to be completed of the group now in process of erection, will be formally presented to the college.

Alexandria, Va., Oct. 8.—Deputy United States Marshal William Duncan was struck by a northbound freight train in the Potomac yards here tonight and instantly killed. Duncan was well known in Virginia. He was a member of the board of aldermen of Alexandria.

Women's Secrets

There is one man in the United States who has perhaps heard more women's secrets than any other man or woman in the country. These secrets are not secrets of guilt or shame, but the secrets of suffering, and they have been confided to Dr. R. V. Pierce in the hope and expectation of advice and help. That few of these women have been disappointed in their expectations is proved by the fact that ninety-eight per cent. of all women treated by Dr. Pierce have been absolutely and altogether cured. Such a record would be remarkable if the cases treated were numbered by hundreds only. But when that record applies to the treatment of more than half-a-million women, in a practice of over 40 years, it is phenomenal, and entitles Dr. Pierce to the gratitude accorded him by women, as the first of specialists in the treatment of women's diseases.

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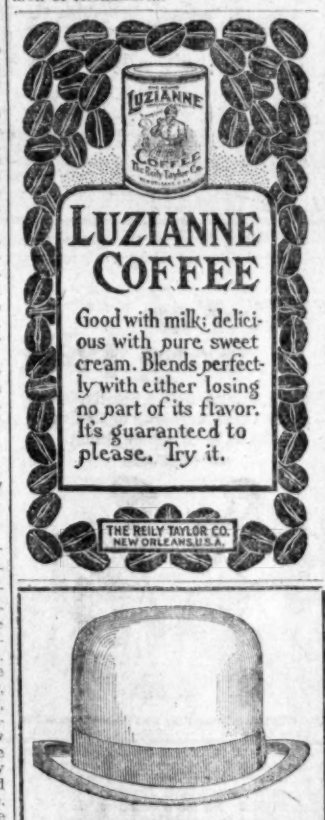

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ATLANTIC COAST LINE

These time tables are corrected to Oct. 8, 1910, but their connections nor the arrivals and departures are not guaranteed, the figures being given as the best available information as to schedules of this company and its connections.

48	42-56	48-80	a via Petersburg. *Daily	89-49	83-41	49
*8:40am	*7:00pm	*8:40am	Lv. ..... WILMINGTON ..... Ar.	6 15pm	9 45am	6 15pm
11 57am	10 05pm	11 57am	Ar. ..... Goldsboro ..... Lv.	2 56pm	6 40am	2 59pm
12:36pm	11:05pm	12:36pm	Ar. ..... Wilson ..... Lv.	1 52pm	5 49am	1 53pm
1 18pm	11 45pm	1 18pm	Ar. ..... Rocky Mount ..... Lv.	12:58pm	5:06am	12:58pm
.....	2:15pm	4:55pm	Ar. ..... Weldon ..... Lv.	11:30am	3:25am	.....
.....	4:00pm	7:05pm	Ar. ..... Petersburg ..... Lv.	9:13am	1:40am	.....
5:50pm	a8:00am	.....	Ar. ..... Norfolk ..... Lv.	.....	a8:00pm	*8:15am
.....	4 40am	8 00pm	Ar. ..... Richmond ..... Lv.	8:15am	1:00am	.....
.....	8 00am	11 50pm	Ar. ..... Washington ..... Lv.	4:20am	9:40pm	.....
.....	9:52am	1:15am	Ar. ..... Baltimore ..... Lv.	2 46am	8 20pm	.....
.....	11:53am	3:40am	Ar. ..... West Philadelphia ..... Lv.	12 19am	5 44pm	.....
.....	2:15pm	6:30am	Ar. ..... NEW YORK ..... Lv.	*9 25pm	*3 25pm	.....

43-86 and 83-41 carries Pullman buffet sleeping car between Wilmington and Washington connecting with New York trains with Pullman service.

48 and 49 carries Pullman Buffet parlor cars between Wilmington and Norfolk connecting at Rocky Mount with New York trains with Pullman service.

55-89	51-83	*Daily	82-50	80-54	
.....	*3:15pm	*5:35am	Lv. ..... WILMINGTON ..... Ar.	12:55am	1:40pm	.....
.....	7:25pm	9:20am	Ar. ..... Florence ..... Lv.	9:05pm	9:30am	.....
.....	11:20pm	1:35pm	Ar. ..... Charleston ..... Lv.	5:35pm	5:20am	.....
.....	2:40am	6:45pm	Ar. ..... Savannah ..... Lv.	1:20pm	12:15am	.....
.....	11 55am	2 20am	Ar. ..... Albany ..... Lv.	1 25am	1 55pm	.....
.....	9:40am	1:45am	Ar. ..... Thomasville ..... Lv.	2 35am	2 05pm	.....
.....	5 50pm	8 50am	Ar. ..... Montgomery ..... Lv.	6 50pm	6 05am	.....
.....	7:15am	.....	Ar. ..... JACKSONVILLE ..... Lv.	9:15am	7:25pm	.....
.....	2:05pm	.....	Ar. ..... Sanford, Fla. ..... Lv.	2 10pm	2 55pm	.....
.....	7:00pm	.....	Ar. ..... TAMPA ..... Lv.	9 00pm	10 30am	.....
.....	8:55pm	.....	Ar. ..... ST. PETERSBURG ..... Lv.	.....	6:45am	.....
.....	10:20pm	.....	Ar. ..... FORT MYERS ..... Lv.	*3:00pm	*6:45am	.....

ALL TRAINS CARRY PULLMAN SLEEPING CARS—Sleeper arriving Wilmington on No. 50 at 12:55 A. M. ma be occupied until 7:00 A. M. and sleeper leaving Wilmington on No. 51 at 5:35 A. M. will be open to receive passengers at 10:00 P. M. the previous night.

55	51	*Daily.	52-50	54
*3:15pm	*5:35am	Lv. ..... WILMINGTON ..... Ar.	12:55am	1:40pm
7:25pm	9:20am	..... Florence ..... Lv.	9:05pm	9:30am
9:20pm	11:20am	..... Sumter ..... Lv.	5:55pm	7:40am
11:10pm	12:55pm	Ar. ..... COLUMBIA ..... Lv.	4:10pm	6:00am
9:25am	.....	Ar. ..... AUGUSTA ..... Lv.	2:30pm	.....
7:05am	1:10pm	Lv. ..... Columbia ..... Sou. Ry.	Ar. 2:30pm	11:55pm
12:25pm	7:40pm	Ar. ..... Saluda ..... "	Lv. 8:45am	5:50pm
1:00pm	8:15pm	Ar. ..... Hendersonville ..... "	Lv. 8:05am	5:15pm
2:10pm	9:15pm	Ar. ..... ASHEVILLE ..... "	Lv. *7:00am	4:10pm
7:20pm	.....	Ar. ..... Knoxville ..... "	Lv.	7:40pm
8:40am	.....	Ar. ..... Louisville	Lv.	8:00am
8:00am	.....	Ar. ..... CINCINNATI	Lv.	*8:10pm

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57	51-97	55-95	*Daily	!D'l'y Sun. xSun. only.	96-54	98-50	58
7:30pm	*5:35am	*3:15pm	Lv. ..... WILMINGTON ... Ar.	1:40pm	12:55am	8:30am
9:15pm	7:20am	5:09am	Ar. .... *CHADBOURN .... Lv.	*11:40am	*11:02pm	6:25am
11:10pm	11:50am	x5:15pm	Lv.. CHADBOURN .... Ar.	7:10am	5:00pm	6:10am
12:45am	1:30pm	6:45pm	Ar. ..... CONWAY ..... Lv.	x5:40am	3:30pm	4:45am

61	53	*Daily.	!Daily ex. Sun.	60	52
6:30pm	*8:45am	Lv. ..... WILMINGTON ..... Ar.		*8:05pm	*8:05pm
9:45pm	11:50am	Ar. ..... Fayetteville ..... Lv.		7:05am	4:50pm
9:45pm	12:10pm	Lv. ..... Fayetteville ..... Ar.		7:00am	4:45pm
11:10pm	1:40pm	Ar. ..... SANFORD ..... Lv.		5:35am	*3:30pm

62	64	*Daily.	!Daily except Sun.	63	65
*3:25pm	5:50am	Lv. ..... WILMINGTON ..... Ar.		12:50pm	6:50pm
5:22pm	7:42am	Ar. ..... Jacksonville, N. C. ..... Lv.		10:55am	4:55pm
6:34pm	9:10am	Ar. ..... Nor. & Son. Junction ..... Lv.		9:35am	3:35pm
6:50pm	9:15am	Ar. ..... NEWBERN, N. C. ..... Lv.		*9:30am	3:30pm

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8:30	9:15
10:00	10:45
11:30	12:15
1:00 P. M.	1:45 P. M.
2:00	2:45
3:00	3:45
3:30	4:45
4:30	5:15
5:30	6:25
6:10	6:50
7:10	7:50
8:30	9:15
10:00	10:45

SUNDAYS.

8:30 A. M.	9:15 A. M.
9:30	10:15
10:30	10:45
11:30	12:15 P. M.
1:00 P. M.	1:45
2:00 and every half hour until	2:45 and every half hour until
5:30	5:45
6:10	6:25
7:10	7:50
8:30	9:15
10:00	10:45

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Leave Wrightsville for Wilmington:
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Sundays: 9:25, 10:25, 10:55, A. M.; 12:25, 1:55, 2:55, 3:25, 3:55, 4:25, 4:55, 5:25, 5:55, 6:35, 7:00, 8:00, 9:25, 10:55, 11:30 P. M.

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Leave Wilmington for Golf Links:
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Sunday, October 9, 1910.

The professional politician (either party) is taking it hard, but i-t-s n-o u-s-e. The people have made up their minds to take a hand in the game.

Roosevelt does loud talking about "New Nationalism" and so-called progressiveism so he can't hear himself keeping quiet about revision of the traiff. He might fool himself but if he fools anybody else it will be their fault for not getting onto Teddy's curves.

The Winston-Salem Journal gloats over the fact that "the Republican party is on the defensive." How true that is, but isn't it strange how offensive that party is while assuming a "defensive" attitude. The Republican party may put up its props but it just cannot defend itself.

Ex-Governor Guild, of Massachusetts, in toasting President Diaz, of Mexico, declared that the Greaser ruler is "the greatest living American." Of course, Guild is an unmitigated prevaricator of the first stripe, but Ex-President Roosevelt has no time to jump on Guild, in view of the fact that the Ex-President is busy getting ready to take what is coming to him at the hands of one John A. Dix.

The Jacksonville Times Union, with its confusion of fashion ideas, remarks: "We contend that women dress to please the men. Let us grin and bear them: the hobble skirts, the stilt-like heels and tower-hats." This simply puts it on the Star to set the Times Union right by giving out the information that women dress to please themselves, cognizant of the fact that men are fools about them and not about what they wear.

A Mexican scientist claims that he has succeeded in creating life by a chemical proess. Probably the Greaser hasn't noticed how much trouble has come to a Philadelphia alchemist because some of his stockholders are making themselves disagreeable for his tardiness in not making good with his process for turning iron into silver and gold. Some suckers are so constituted that they won't give a scientist time to get his money and build a bungalow in some out-of-the-way place in the wilds of South Carolina.

In defining his duty in an address at the Brooklyn Academy of Music Wednesday night, Ex-President Roosevelt declared: "The man who has once been chosen President owes a debt to the people which he cannot posibly pay. It is his bounden duty to continue to render service to the people. I should feel obliged to do this even if I did not like it." Well, of course, the people would prefer to release the Colonel from his obligations in that respect and if it is all the same to him they would rather he shouldn't "like it" so awfully well.

Vice-President Sherman went West on a speaking tour and reported that "insurgency is dead." Subsequent Republican primaries in the West indicated that he was mistaken and that his speeches out there didn't amount to a puff of wind. He returned to New York and declared that he had Teddy beaten for the temporary chairmanship of the State convention. The big stick got in its work and Sherman limped off, realizing that once more he didn't know what he was talking about. With all his acquisition of repudiations, he is coming to North Carolina but by this time probably he is prepared to believe that he will be wasting his time on people who have discounted his dope before he hands it out.

SOMETHING DOING IN WILMINGTON.

Wilmington, Columbia and Savannah are to be congratulated upon having been selected as the locations for the three big plants of the American Agricultural Chemical Company, which is invading the South with its fertilizer business. The three factories to be built will call for an expenditure of $1,000,000 or more, and the circumstance that so big a concern has picked these cities for its big fertilizer plants is assurance that the company has made the choice for their availability as distributing points and for their advantages as manufacturing centers.

The American Agricultural Chemical Company is a concern with millions of dollars back of it and while it already has large business interests in the South, its decision to establish factories in such places as Wilmington and the two other fortunate cities is sufficient notice that there is to be something doing on the part of a progressive concern which bores with a big augur. We are specially gratified that the eligibility of Wilmington as a distributing point and business centre is further emphasized by the New York announcement that one more big fertilizer factory is to be established here.

Wilmington is already one of the largest fertilizer manufacturing centres in the United States. The Virginia-Carolina Chemical Company operates two large plants here and Swift & Company's magnificent Wilmington plant in this city is said to be the largest and best equipped fertilizer factory in the world. Besides several small fertilizer works and the fish scrap factories, the Pocomoke Guano Company, a subsidiary of the American Agricultural Chemical Company, now has a large force of hands at work erecting a 30-000-ton factory in this city. This is the new factory referred to. The addition of the American Chemical Company's plant will thus give Wilmington a still greater prestige as a fertilizer manufacturing centre and its establishment here will call further attention to our city's advantages, now being so signally recognized by manufacturers and distributors.

There is something doing in Wilmington. It is a busy mart. Business is brisk, the city's manufacturing plants are active and growing, thousands of dollars are being spent in the construction and improvement of business buildings and residences, and the export of cotton and other commodities is on a scale averaging about $5,000,000 a month. That this city is in the midst of steady progress and substantial prosperity one need only have watched the columns of the Star during the past few days, not to mention the numerous business matters of importance lately chronicled from time to time.

On Friday morning it was announced that the Murchison National Bank will increase its capital stock to $825,000, which will be an increase of $275,000 over the present capital stock of $550,000. The large increase in the capital stock of that bank but tells the story of a prosperous Wilmington institution that has grown on a scale that would be creditable to the largest cities of this country. Yesterday it was announced that Wilmington's youngest bank, the American National, has decided to increase its capital stock from $150,000 to $250,000. The vigor and sturdy growth of the American National Bank is but another evidence of the substantial business centre which Wilmington consttutes. The Southern National Bank also has had a phenomenal career since it was established and we doubt whether the banks of any city have so uniformly displayed the marvelous progress that has marked the course of these and other Wilmington banks.

Wilmington's savings banks are making a progress not behind, but probably in the lead of the National banks, but the whole banking situation in Wilmington, indeed, is such as to indicate a prosperous and progressive city. Building enterprises are calling for the expenditure of thousands of dollars, and structural improvements are the order of the day. The Wilmington Savings and Trust Company has removed old landmarks on Princess street and will erect thereon one of the handsomest banking buildings in the South, a model structure designed especially for that progressive Wilmington bank. The American National bank is remodeling its new banking house on North Front street, and among the other notable building improvements is that which will convert the MacRae building, at 27 and 29 North Front street, into one of the handsomest business houses in the South. That building was recently purchased by Mr. J. M. Solky, the progressive clothier, and he is expending $8,000 upon it, so that when the work is completed it will represent an investment of $50,000. Mr. Solky came to Wilmington 21 years ago and his success has been an evidence of the fact that a live man came to a good city.

A handsome new hotel is to be erected on Wrightsville beach and we are assured that one company will undertake its construction if another does not. One is only waiting on the other. The City Laundry has purchased a fine property on North Second street near Princess and will erect one of the most modern laundry buildings in the South. So it goes, but it is impossible to follow up what Wilmington is doing in building, industrial and progressive lines generally, for space forbids that here.

We must, however, mention one more evidence of business progress and substantial growth in Wilmington. S. H. Kress & Co. are to have in this city the largest five and ten cent store in the South. The company has been in business in Wilmington a number of years and its business has so steadily increased that the enlargement of its store has been almost an annual necessity. The business in their line has been such as to compel further enlargement and that will be done by doubling the present capacity of their establishment. The adjoining storeroom in the Masonic Temple building, next door north of the Kress stores, has been leased for three years from Mr. J. M. Solky, who will soon vacate it, and the double establishment has been leased by the Masonic Temple corporation to Kress & Co. for a period of 15 years. The walls dividing the two storerooms will be removed so that the store will have a frontage of 56 feet on Front street and a depth of 137 feet, running back to the Kress annex, which is 25x60 feet in size. It will make a magnificent establishment with a floor space of about 9,500 feet.

All of these things point to a growing city, without reference again to the third great warehouse which the Seaboard Air Line is now building at its terminal, that enterprise representing increased preparations for Wilmington's steadily enlarging commerce. This is enough to show that Wilmington is going right on up.

BAD CHARACTER STICKS.

The Republican party in North Carolina has "a horrible past" and since it has promised to become "respectable" it doesn't want us to dig up its odorfuous part, rake up old scores and stir the cesspool of rottenness of ancient and modren times. We don't blame the Republican party, but if a lawyer were to put the party on the stand as a witness the first thing he would do would be to undermine its character with a view to destroying its credibility and untrustworthiness. A witness has to stand or fall by his character when he goes on the stand and his "past" is exposed before the jury and his character is attacked by counsel. When a man's character for credibility and integrity is successfully assailed, he has to take the count of ten and step aside as unworthy of belief, not deserving of confidence and not entitled to honor.

Hardly, therefore, can the so-called "respectable Republican party," with the same old cadaver sprinkled with cologne, expect to go on the stump and hope to have its disreputable character and tell-tale record overlooked or forgotten. Memory of it and proof of it will not down. In fact, the Republican party and the Democratic party are accountable for what they have done in the past and they cannot reasonably expect the people to trust them if the character they have established is bad. Political parties have to answer to the people for their sins of commision and omission and they cannot dodge the record if they would.

There is no immunity in public opinion for any party that has debauched and ruined North Carolina every time it got in power. We know the spectre of the past is horrible and haunts the Republican party at all times. It would like it's past to be forgotten, but that is impossible. A portion of its record in the days of "fusion" is too recent for any loyal North Carolinian's memory to be fatuitously annihilated. Lots of people would like to have their past forgotten or overlooked and they would like themselves to forget what they have done, but memory is inexorable!

Says the Norfolk Landmark: "Dix is ready to mix with Teddy." Teddy is ready to mix with Dix, but we see no reason why Dix shouldn't fix Teddy's clock.

"We can forgive but never forget," remarks a moralist. He overlooks the fact that some people are not capable of forgiving while others actually forget some of the bills they owe.

Investors can make good money by salting down money in North Carolina land and real estate. Values of all kinds in a State which is going forward cannot do anything but increase as the State steadily progresses.

Get clean off the track when you want to do some walking along the single-track railroad. When you come to the double-track, take to the woods. This advice is intended to lighten the official duties of the overworked coroner.

The Republican Governor of Connecticut has appointed a Democrat to membership on the State Railroad Commission. Of course, he knew the people wanted a Democrat and it would be only a short time that any Republican would have to serve. Once more, this is a Democratic year.

CURRENT COMMENT.

"The right kind of a club man," avers the Wilmington Star, "is the young man who belongs to a corn club." Does this mean that all clubs should make an individual discrimination against the rye product?—Charlotte Observer.

The people of Rowland, Robeson county, desiring to give evidence of their enthusiasm for good roads made up a private subscription of $500 for the improvement of the town's main street. This is the sort of backed-up faith which makes fine highways even where there are no mountains to remove.—Charlotte Observer.

Just think of John Motley Morehead, Sammy Roosevelt McNinch, and Iredell Meares, cohorting with Marion Butler. Then talk about a decent Republican party in North Carolina. Why, even the old-line Republicans, the crowd over which Morehead and McNinch think they are an improvement, won't even associate with him. —Raleigh Times.

The law permits the government to employ 65 per cent. of the money placed in the postal banks and the administration has announced the purpose of using it to dig the Panama Canal. In this way the small investors will get less for their money devoted to this purpose than the big investors who bought bonds: is this fair?—Jacksonville Times-Union.

Marion Butler raves and the people smile—in contempt. This discredited citizen has come back, but he can't fool the people of North Carolina again. We hope there is no Democrat in North Carolina that will lower himself enough to engage in joint debate with Marion Butler. Decent men cannot afford to do any such thing.—Raleigh Times.

"After a man lives for a few months in the same atmosphere in which Marion Butler moves and has his being, he is likely to become abnormally calloused."—Asheville Gazette-News (Rep.) Possibly, the Republican party wants to restore the same kind of local government they gave in 1898 at Wilmington—in fact, that is the only kind they are capable of giving.—Kinston Free Press.

This administration's handling of public land responsibilities is singularly unfortunate. First there was the Guggenheim Syndicate scandal in Alaska, exposed by Glavis, who lost his job for his pains. Then there was the Friar Land scandal in the Philippines, yet to be investigated. Now we have the Indian land scandal. The indication is that there are a lot of rascals hanging around the Land Offices, that the loot is immense, and that the present administration of the government is not suited to the task of holding the looters in check. A complete political change is what the country needs—fresh air and thorough renovation.—Norfolk Landmark.

A man who is down and out needn't stay down. He can join the Democratic party so he can flop his wings and crow after the 8th of next November.

RITA FORNIA.

Musician Commends Mr. Cowan for Efforts to Bring Her.

Editor Star:—Permit me as one deeply interested in the effort of Mr. Robert Cowan to bring to our city such a high class musical organization as Rita Fornia heads this season. Being under the management of no less a personage than R. E. Johnston, who has sent out such notable attractions as the Duss Orchestra with Madam Nordica as the principal star—Madam Sembrich—the Damrosch Orchestra and others of equal note, should be in itself the best guarantee one should want that those who patronize him will not come away disappointed. Madame Fornia seems to be a fixture with the Metropolitan forces and she must possess extraordinary ability to hold her own with such an organization. Tibaldi is evidently a new comer as I have never heard of him, but am willing to take the management's word that he is good. It would seem to be a matter of city pride to have this organization come here as it is only in this way that Wilmington can keep up with Raleigh, Greensboro, Charlotte, in North Carolina, and Columbia and Spartanburg in our sister State. By the way, speaking of Charlotte, I understand they have not only made a new contract for the Pittsburg orchestra of 65 pieces for next May, but have arranged to have Madam Sembrich shortly under a guarantee of $2,000. As is well known Spartanburg stands forth as one of the most prominent cities in the South simply because of her superb musical festivals every Spring, while the other cities mentioned seem to be grabbing almost everything in these particular lines that come along, thus showing their appreciation of what music can do for them. As Wilmington is ahead in most everything else, the logical conclusion would seem to be that she should also keep the lead along these lines and to do this a determined effort should be made to see that this attraction should by all means be well supported and thus help to keep our city on the musical map, as it were. And the success or failure of this concert will determine whether Madam 'Liza Lehmann and her equally high-class artists will come here next January to give one of her famous concerts in which she will preside at the piano herself and render, with the assistance of her specially engaged European quartette, an equally interesting programme, which will embrace the singing of her own superb composition, "In a Persian Garden." It, therefore, behooves those musically inclined in our midst, to rally to the support of Mr. Cowan and fill the Opera House on the night of the 14th, and at the prices he offers: $1.50 and $1.00 it would seem as if no difficulty should be had at all. The list is only fairly well filled and only a few more days remain in which to cinch the contract or to turn it down. The latter case would be a misfortune from which we, as a music loving people, would not recover in many a day. Let's help the concert along by subscribing when the list is presented for our signatures and make it thereby easier in the future to get the best that is to be had.

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BOOKER WASHINGTON COMING

Noted Negro Educator Will Make Address in Wilmington on His Tour of the State—Colored People Plan for Visit.

Booker T. Washington, the leading negro educator of the South, will wind up his tour of the principal cities of North Carolina with an address in Wilmington Thursday, November 3rd, and the colored people of the city have already begun arrangements for the entertainment of the visitor. Dr. Washington will be in this State from October 28th, when he speaks at Charlotte, until the closing address in this city. The following with reference to the plans of the colored people for the visit of Washington has been prepared by Rev. G. D. Carnes, colored:

Last Friday night in the office of O. H. Lennon, of the North Carolina Mutual and Provident Association, a number of the leading colored men of the city met to arrange for a visit of Dr. Booker T. Washington to Wilmington November the 3rd, 1910.

"O. H. Lennon was elected chairman of the central committee; Thos. A. Smith treasurer; Rev. W. H. Moore, secretary. Several committees were appointed to systematically arrange for the occasion. It is understood that the speech will be delivered in the opera house and all will be invited to hear him. Dr. Washington will bring words of cheer and hope as he has carried them to other cities and people.

"The Washington party will enter the State at Charlotte October the 28 and will stop at Salisbury, Greensboro, Winston, Durham, Raleigh, Goldsboro, Newbern, and reach Wilmington November 3rd, when he will make his last speech in this State. Since this is to be the last stop it is the desire of the committee to make the entertainment here the most elaborate. These trips in other states have been productive of great good. A leading banker of Knoxville, Tenn., said of the trip of the Washington Party: "I am sure that if Dr. Washington carries the same message of hope and inspiration through Tennessee, from Bristol to Memphis, that the time will come, and come soon, when the relations of the races will be as favorable in every section as they are here among us."

"An editorial in the same paper of the same date says "the remarkable success of Booker T. Washington's latest speaking tour in the South, emphasizes again, his great usefulness to the whole country. In his role, as interpretor of one race to the other, pleading for harmony, mutual respect and justice, he is performing a patriotic service, which, it would be hard to over-estimate."

"A general citizen meeting is called to meet with the central committee next Tuesday evening at O. H. Lennon's office.

Dr. Washington is travelling in Europe now and will return thoroughly charged."

SUPERIOR COURT YESTERDAY.

Case of Bryan Against Lumber Company Not Yet to the Jury.

Practically all of yesterday in Superior Court was taken up with a continuation of the trial of the case of Eddie M. Bryan against the Hilton Lumber Company, an action for alleged damages in the sum of $25,000 for the loss of an arm as the result of an accident while plaintiff was operating a planing machine at the plant of the company some two years ago. The examination of witnesses was concluded yesterday and argument of counsel begun before adjournment for the day at 5:15 o'clock. Geo. L. Peschau, of counsel for the plaintiff, spoke first, being followed by Thos. W. Davis, Esq., for the defendant, who will conclude his argument Monday morning. Two other addresses are to be made, Hon. John D. Bellamy, for the plaintiff, and Ex-Judge E. K. Bryan, for the defendant company. The case will go to the jury some time tomorrow.

The following cases were continued until the next term of court: Luke Davis against the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company; Gil Herman Co against F. M. McKoy; J. A. Taylor against F. M. McKoy; J. W. Carmichael against Southern Bell Telegraph and Telephone Company.

The following are the jurors who have been drawn for this week of the term: E. E. Daily, M. L. Parker, E. M. Cheek, H. G. Foard, J. H. Swinson, Anson Alligood, W. H. Dock, A. A. Dock, R. L. Fisher, W. F. Johnson, Ed. B. Moore, J. G. McCormick, Geo. W. Mote, T. M. Emerson, R. D. Smith, C. H. Brindell, J. E. Shannon, James H. Cowan.

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Sent postpaid on receipt of price, 50c.

CITY SCHOOLS OVERCROWDED

The Enrollment the Past Week Not Only Largest in History of System, but Far Exceeded Expectations—Relief.

Although the city graded schools, which opened last Monday for the Fall term, are taxed to their utmost capacity, the enrollment and attendance being not only the largest in the history of the system, but far exceeding the expectations of the superintendent and committeemen, making it necessary for both children and teachers to be subjected to some temporary inconvenience, it is earnestly hoped that not a single parent will take his or her child from school on account of the crowded conditions or any temporary arrangement that may not seem satisfactory, but take the situation philosophically and bear patiently for a few weeks, when the annex to the High School building will be completed, relieving the congestion to such extent as to give every child a comfortable seat and every teacher a reasonable number of pupils.

Mr. John J. Blair, the superintendent, expected an increased attendance in each of the schools this year and some months ago, as will be recalled, impressed the school committeemen and Board of Education with this fact, with the result that the contract was let for an annex to the High School, the addition to this building being sufficient, it is thought, to take care of all the children of school age who desire to enter for several years. The work of building the annex has progressed as rapidly as consistent with thorough and painstaking workmanship, but it was impossible to have the addition ready for occupancy at the time of opening last week. The number of pupils enrolled in the different schools greatly exceed the number anticipated, although an increase was expected. The overcrowded condition of rooms exists in both the Hemenway and Union schools, but the congestion will be relieved as soon as the new rooms can be finished at the High School. During the past month the work on this building has progressed splendidly and the roof is now being put on and the windows and doors have been received and will be put in place in a few days. It is the intention of the contractors to begin plastering on Monday morning. There is no reason why within a month every child in the city should not have a comfortable seat and every teacher have only a reasonable number of pupils under her care. The division of the third grade in the Hemenway school, which has been assembling during the past week each day at 12 o'clock, will report to the principal on Monday morning at 9 o'clock.

The enrollment in the different schools in the city during the past week is as follows: High School, 278; Hemenway, 751; Union 1,060, making a total of white children enrolled, 2,089; number of pupils enrolled in the Peabody school, 377; Williston, 568; making a total of colored children enrolled 945; a grand total of 3,034. The comparison with the record of attendance last year is interesting. The average daily attendance for the entire month of October last year in the Hemenway school was 965; in the Union, 748; in the High School, 267 7-10.

The principals of the different buildings report that the schools under their charge were in regular working order the second day, and that the minimum amount of time was consumed in organization and putting into effect the regular programme of the school work.

FIFTH STREET REVIVAL.

Series of Meetings Begin Thursday Night—Mr. Butler Engaged.

Rev. K. D. Holmes, pastor of Fifth Street Methodist Church, has announced that he will begin a revival meeting at his church Thursday night of this week and that Mr. Charlie Butler, who led the singing at the great Torrey revival, has been engaged and will lead the song service, assisted by a large chorus selected from the various church choirs of the city. Rev. Thos. A. Smoot, pastor of Grace Methodist Church, will assist the pastor in the conduct of the revival. Services will be held each week day at 4 and 8 P. M., each to be preceded by a 30-minute song service, led by Mr. Butler.

The church will comfortably seat 1,000 people and the public generally is most cordially invited to attend and take part in the services, which promise to be of great and lasting good. The members of the church anticipate a great revival and feel themselves exceedingly fortunate in being able to secure the services of Mr. Butler to lead the singing.

HON. A. L. BROOKS FRIDAY.

Able Speaker to Open Democratic Campaign in This County.

Readers of the Star were interested and pleased to note in the telegraph columns of yesterday's paper that Hon. A. L. Brooks, of Greensboro, one of the ablest speakers in the State, is to formally open the Democratic campaign in this county with an address in the Court House Friday night of this week. Chairman Marsden Bellamy, of the County Democratic Executive Committee, stated yesterday that the speaking would begin at 8 o'clock and invites the voters generally of the county to attend and hear this pleasing speaker. Mr. Brooks was solicitor of his district for several years, resigning two years ago to make the race for Congress in the Fifth Congressional District. As a campaign orator he has few equals in the State and it will be worth the time of all who care to hear a vigorous campaign speech to attend the meeting in the Court House Friday night.

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U. C. T.'S. GAVE BIG SMOKER

Enthusiastic Gathering of Traveling Men at Council Hall of Cape Fear Council Last Night—Good Roads Endorsed.

The first Fall meeting of Cape Fear Council, No. 374, United Commercial Travelers, in council hall, in the Murchison National Bank building, last night, was marked by a large and enthusiastic attendance..

The business meeting of the council preceded the smoker and was presided over by Mr. W. O. Page, Senior Councilor, with all the officers in their places. A number of matters of importance to the traveling men were taken up and discussed. One of the most important actions of the council was the endorsement of the good roads movement and the Wilmington-Charlotte highway in particular. Several enthusiastic speeches were made in favor of good roads and the traveling men were delighted to know that the proposed highway to connect Wilmington with Charlotte is practically assured. Traveling men are great "boosters" and they will go out through this section boosting the proposition to link the best cities in the State with a modern highway that will mean great thing to both cities and to the intermediate points.

The matter of sending a large delegation to the annual meeting of the Grand Council of the Carolinas, which will be held in Greensboro next year, was discussed, after which a committee was appointed to make arrangements for the trip and report at a later meeting.

A letter from the Supreme Councilor, suggesting that prizes be offered as a means of increasing the membership of local councils, was read and the proposition was unanimously endorsed.

A special degree team was organized last night and will be in splendid working order by the time of the next meeting, the Fourth Saturday in this month, when there will probably be several candidates to be initiated. New paraphernalia has been ordered and is expected to arrive in a short time.

Following the business session the meeting resolved itself into a "smoker" and the remainder of the evening was spent most pleasantly by the travelers. Among those who made donations for the smoker were Mr. F. L. Dempsey, cakes of the National Biscuit Company make; E. L. Matthews Candy Co., Delatour chocolates; Crescent Candy Co., Lipps chocolates. Arrangements for the event were made by a committee composed of Messrs. A. G. Bowden, J. F. Powell, F. L. Dempsey, W. R. Peterson and C. J. Roberts.

CAR LINE EXTENSION.

Petition Presented to Tidewater Power Company Yesterday.

A petition containing between 100 and 150 signatures was presented yesterday to Mr. A. B. Skelding, general manager of the Tidewater Power Company, asking that the company extend its street car lines out Red Cross street and around 11th to Campbell street, setting forth the need for such service in that section of the city. It is suggested that the line be extended from Fourth and Red Cross streets and also that the present South Wilmington car might be operated on the line. The petition will probably be presented by Mr. Skelding to the board of directors of the company at its next meeting. Mr. Skelding is quoted as saying that he had not given the matter mature consideration, but it did not appear to him that the proposed extension would be a profitable investment for the company. It might be stated that it is very doubtful whether the directors will grant the request of the petitioners, as they will probably take the position that an extension of the car service in that direction would not be a profitable investment, for the present at least.

PROMINENT VISITOR HERE.

Secretary of Wholesale Grocers' Association in the City.

Mr. Ed Y. Greer, of Jacksonville, Fla., secretary of the Wholesale Grocers' Association, composed of more than 600 representative wholesale grocers of the Southern States, arrived in the city on a late train Thursday night, and yesterday held a conference in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce with Wilmington members of the organization, reviewing the situation in connection with the government suit for the dissolution of the association and other actions involving immense sums, for which all members of the organization here and elsewhere are equally liable. The matter is of such importance that Secretary Greer was prevailed upon to remain over until Monday when an opportunity will be given those not attending yesterday to "see where they are at." Mr. F. E. Hashagen, of this city, is second vice president of the association, being elected to this position at the annual meeting at Chattanooga, Tenn., last May.

For Dredging Contract.

Messrs. Jones & Moore, representing the Atlantic Dredging Co., of Baltimore, spent yesterday in the city and during the day went down on a special trip of the tug Blanche to examine the river with a view of making a bid for the extensive dredging work recently advertised to the lowest bidder for the government. Some of the largest private dredging concerns in the country will bid for this work.

Capt. Bogardus Again Hits the Bull's Eye.

This world's famous rifle shot who holds the championship record of 100 pigeons in 100 consecutive shots is living at Lincoln, Ill. Recently interviewed, he says: "I suffered a long time with kidney and bladder trouble and used several well known kidney medicines, all of which gave me no relief until I started taking Foley Kidney Pills. Before I used Foley Kidney Pills I had severe bachaches and pains in my kidneys and suppression and a cloudy voiding. On rising in the morning I would get dull headaches. Now I have taken three bottles of Foley Kidney Pills and feel 100 per cent. better. I am never bothered with my kidneys or bladder and again feel like my own self." Robert Bellamy.

MR. KEITH IS RE-APPOINTED

Commission as Collector of Port at Wilmington, Signed by President Taft, Received—The Term is For Four Years.

Dated Beverly, Massachusetts, September 17th, 1910, a most interesting and most welcome document reached Collector of Customs B. F. Keith, of this city, from the Summer capital of the Nation on Friday evening, the aforesaid document bearing the autograph of one Mr. William Howard Taft and being the commission of Mr. Keith for another four years as collector of customs at the port of Wilmington.

The document had been forwarded to the Summer capital from Washington with the approval of the necessary department and it only remained for Mr. Taft to append his signature and forward to Mr. Keith here. The appointment comes to Mr. Keith after a hard fight and it is an endorsement of his fine administration of the office during the first term. He was opposed latterly by Mr. S. M. King, who had the backing of E. C. Duncan, Mr. Keith having lined up with him the "progressive" element of the party in the State the appointment demonstrating what Mr. Taft announced some time ago as the policy in the distribution of patronage as between the "regulars" and "progressives."

The re-appointment of Mr. Keith gave very general satisfaction. It was urged all along that he had the endorsement of 95 per cent. of the Wilmington business community to say nothing of very cordial suport by outside influences. It is doubtful if any other Republican ever had the high endorsement that was Mr. Keith's pleasure to present at the White House. It is to be said truthfully that Mr. Keith has made a model officer, winning the hearty aproval of the Department at Washington as well as the people whom he has served. He has been active in promoting the best interests of the city and it was entirely through his efforts that the magnificient new Custom House for Wilmington was secured from the Government. His zeal and industry in presenting the facts as to Wilmington's commerce and her great posibilities was largely due the fact that Congress allowed the appropriation, the final cost of which is to be in the neighborhood of half a million dollars. Mr. Keith has long been closely identified with the busines interest not only of his city, but his State and merit has triumphed in his appointment to again fill the office of Collector at Wilmington.

COURT MARTIAL IS ENDED.

Private Was Tried for Passing Worthless Checks at Fort Caswell.

A court martial was in progress at Fort Caswell on Friday when Private Foster was given a hearing on the charge of passing five worthless checks at the post canteen during August. Capt. Corput was the judge advocate and Capt. Landen, president of the court.

A hearing lasted from 3 P. M. until 6 o'clock and Foster was represented by C. Ed. Taylor, Esq., of Southport, and W. J. Bellamy, Esq., of this city. The checks alleged to have been passed by Foster in all amounted to $37. He stoutly denies the charge, which was preferred by Capt. Hancock. The findings were taken by a stenographer and sent on to the Department, where they will be decided on and decision announced later.

CUTTER GETS DYNAMO SOON.

Seminole Leaves For Newport News About 18th—Back from Cruise.

The revenue cutter Seminole, Capt. Covell commanding, returned to port yesterday from a short cruise in the northern portion of her district and two days of target practice on the range at Fort Caswell. The Seminole has been away from port a week and cruised as far north as Cape Lookout. The cutter will leave again about the 18th of the month for Newport News, Va., where a new dynamo will be installed to complete her wireless equipment. The new dynamo, which is of the turban variety will be sent to the Newport News Shipbuilding and Dry Dock Company from Baltimore.

Lieut. Wishaar was granted a leave of absence of five days this week, leaving the cutter last Thursday for Baltimore, where he will be one of the attendants at the marriage of Lieut. Harrison on the 11th of this month.

Master for Disabled Vessel.

Capt. Godfrey, who will relieve Capt. Calder, the master of the water-logged schooner Silver Spray, who has been quite ill at the Marine Hospital since his vessel was towed into port, arrived yesterday from Machias, Maine. Capt. White, the owner, who has been here for some time will secure a diver to determine the damage to the vessel this week and as soon as repairs are made Capt. Godfrey will carry her back to the home port in Maine.

German American Alliance.

The annual meeting of the North Carolina Branch of the German-American National Alliance will be held tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock at the Howard Relief Hall. All members are earnestly desired to attend. Mr. M. G. Tiencken is president and Mr. J. G. L. Gieschen secretary. The North Carolina Branch was recently organized at Wrightsville Beach by the Hon. John D. Cappleman, of Charleston, S. C., and it already has a large and growing membership.

Will Send An Officer for Barfield.

Chief of Police N. J. Williams yesterday morning telegraphed Sheriff Potts, of Worth county, Georgia, that Levy Barfield, a white youth about 15 years old, wanted there for larceny, had been arrested in this city, as told in yesterday morning's Star. A short time later a reply was received to the effect that an officer would be sent here for the youth. The young fellow is being held at police headquarters pending the arrival of the Georgia officer.

POOL ROOM SHOOTING AFFRAY.

Negro With Gun Cleared Negro Pool Room in very Few Minutes.

Abundance of excitement was created on Second street, between Market and Princess, about 8 o'clock last night, when two negroes in Whiteman's pool room fell out over the game and the one fired several shots at the other, clearing the retreat in a few minutes and attracting scores of people to the scene from the down town district. Fortunately, the negro did not hit any one and no damage was done. The negroes were shooting pool and had a disagreement over the game, it is said, and one jerked out his revolver and began firing point blank at this opponent in the game. He managed to dodge the bullets, however, and was soon out in the open. The negro fired four shots in the pool room and then deliberately walked to the door and fired one shot on the sidewalk. Noticing an officer across the street he ran diagonally across the street and was soon lost to view in an alley. The negro who runs the pool room gave the officers the names of two negroes who are said to have been mixed up in the difficulty and a search is now being made for them.

BRIGADE BIBLE STUDY CLASS.

Meets Every Monday Night With Dr. Wells as Teacher—Course.

The interest in the Bible Study Department of the Boys' Brigade is at a very high point since the new plans went into effect last Monday night. These new plans are broad and comprehensive in their scope and embrace a course of study covering a period of three years. The teacher of the Monday night class is Rev. Dr. J. M. Wells, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, a man who is eminently qualified to direct and teach the Bible in all its phases. The following is an outline of the course arranged: First year, the origin of the Bible; the preservation of the Bible; the versions of the Bible; the English Bible; the Bible literature; the chronology of the Bible; the geography of the Bible; Old Testament heroes of Faith. Second year—Great events in the Life of Christ. Third year—New Testament Heroes of Faith.

This class meets on Monday nights, at 8 o'clock for just 20 minutes and is open to any man in the city.

MR. R. D. TUCKER BEREAVED.

Brother Passed Away at Bethel, Vermont—Formerly Resided Here.

The many Wilmington friends of Mr. R. D. Tucker will sympathize with him in the death of his brother, Mr. William R. Tucker, which occurred yesterday at Bethel, Vt., after an acute illness of pneumonia. A message stating the sad intelligence was received by Mr. Tucker yesterday afternoon. The deceased resided here for several years, leaving Wilmington for Vermont about two years ago. He was engaged in business with Mr. R. D. Tucker during his residence in this city. The deceased was 60 years old and had many friends here who will learn of his death with much sadness.

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GOING TO GET LIGHTSHIP.

Engineer Watts Will Bring "Knuckle Lightship" to Station Soon.

The new "Knuckle Lightship," which was completed on the Lakes this Summer and later brought down to New York will be placed at her station on the North Carolina coast within the next few weeks. An engineer sent from the headquarters of the Sixth Lighthouse District to relieve Engineer Watts, of the Frying Pan Light ship, has been spending several days here.

Engineer Watts has been instructed by the Department to go north to get the new light vessel and he will have a permanent position on her. The new ship is of the latest type, modern in every detail, and will stand guard at a most important position on the dangerous Carolina coast.

Funeral of Infant Son.

The funeral of Henry Louis, the 14-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Farrow, whose death occurred early Friday morning, was held from the family residence, No. 202 North Seventh street, at 10 o'clock yesterday morning, services conducted by Rev. Thos. P. Noe, rector of the Church of the Good Shepherd, in the presence of a large number of friends and relatives. The interment was in Oakdale cemetery.

A BIG CARGO OF COTTON.

Steamer Hillbrook Carries 14,233 Bales Valued Over Milion.

With the largest cargo of cotton of the season from this port, the British steamer Hillbrook, Capt. Hopley, cleared yesterday for Liverpool, England. The steamer carries 14,233 bales valued at $1,040,000. This is the first cargo to reach the million mark in valuation this season. With the clearance of the Hillbrook two steamers are left in port to receive the staple. Middling is quoted on the local market at 13 3-4 cents and the receipts for the past ten days have almost equalled the receipts during the same period last year, although the season was some three weeks later this year.

Three New Cases of Smallpox.

Report was made at the city health department yesterday morning of three additional cases of smallpox in the city. One of the number, John Blue, colored, No. 1313 1-2 North Fifth street, recently moved to Wilmington, and it is said that he had the disease when he came here. He is now in the convalescent stage. Millie King, colored, was quarantined at her home, No. 706 North Seventh street, while a negro by the name of Richardson, who lives at Myrtle Grove Sound, but had been in the city for some days under treatment for an injured foot, was sent to the pest house.

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SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Brief Mention, News of Societies, Meetings, Etc.

Miss Nellie Fowler has returned home after a delightful visit of several weeks to her friend, Miss Annie Tuttle, at Charlotte, N. C.

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Mr. George Tucker has returned home from an extended trip to England for his health. His friends will be delighted to learn that he returns home much improved.

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Mrs. H. M. DeLand, has returned to the city after having spent the past three years in Savannah and has been most cordially welcomed by a host of friends in Wilmington.

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Mrs. Preston Cumming and little daughter, Anna Bacot, returned yesterday from Vivian, W. Va., where they have been spending the Summer with Mrs. Cumming's daughter, Mrs. R. A. Nelson, who accompanied them to Wilmington and will spend some time here as the guest of her mother.

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Beginning tomorrow week, in the hall opposite the City Hall, the Misses Steljes will resume their classes in dancing. The night classes will meet Mondays and Thursdays at 8:30 P. M., and the children's classes in dancing and physical culture will meet Wednesday and Saturday afternoons. Fancy dances will be taught and those interested may 'phone 1092 for all particulars.

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Silver City, Oct. 7.—At the home of her father, Miss Jose Lee Perry was happily married this afternoon to Mr. Joseph A. Edwards, of Maxton, Rev. E. B. Craven, pastor of the M. E. church, officiating. The only attendants were Miss Grace Gillespie Hannah, maid of honor, and Mr. F. C. Frostick, best man. The bride was handsomely gowned in a travelling suit of blue. Immediately after the ceremony the happy party took the Southern train for Washington, New York and other northern cities. The bride is the popular and attractive daughter of Rev. A. H. Perry and has a host of friends who wish her a long life of wedded bliss. The groom is a popular and successful railroad man of Maxton. Mr. and Mrs. Edwards will be at home to their friends at Maxton, N. C., after November 1st.

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WHITE AND GOLDEN WEDDING AT BURGAW.

One of the prettiest weddings in the social life of Burgaw was that on Wednesday afternoon of the past week when Miss Cora Payne Moore became the bride of Mr. Theodore Carlyle Turnage, of Farmville, in a beatiful service performed by the Rev. W. M. Sikes in the Presbyterian church, which was beatifully decorated accorcing to a color scheme of white and gold carrying out a beautiful autumn effect and which was filled with an admiring throng of relatives and friends from Pender, Sampson and New Hanover counties, where the bride is much loved and admired. The beautiful ring service was used and the bride was given away by her brother, Mr. Bernice Moore, of Burgaw. While the crowd was gathering and being seated by the ushers, Messrs. A. B. Croom, Jr., D. Durham, McNair Moore and Roy Lee, the Militaire march was skillufily rendered by Miss Margaret McNeill and Mrs. J. D. Edwards, of Wilmington, first and second violins and Miss May D. Wooten at the piano. Mrs. Edwards sweetly sang, "O, Promise Me," and as the party entered a select quartette composed of Miss Maggie Williams, Mrs. J. T. Bland, Mr. D. H. Bland and Dr. McCullen rendered with beautiful effect, Lohengrin's Bridal Chorus.

The bride was beautifully gowned in satin, trimmed with pearls and Baby Irish lace, her veil being caught up with orange blossoms while she carried a lovely shower bouquet of bride's roses and lillies of the valley. Miss Juliet Merriman, of Wilmington, was first maid of honor and was becomingly gowned in blue messaline, trimmed with gold and carried pink Killarney roses. Miss Carrie Bell McNeill, the second maid of honor, wore pink messaline and carried pink roses caught with pink tulle. The dames of honor, Mrs. W. B. McNeill and Mrs. Moseley Hussey wore lace over white messaline, black picture hats and carried white carnations caught with yellow tulle. The male members of the wedding party wore the conventional black with boutonnieres of bride's roses.

Following the ceremony the party repaired to the home of the bride where an elegant wedding supper was served, following which Mr. and Mrs. Turnage left for an extended bridal tour. For an hour a most delightful reception was given them. They will make their home at Farmville where Mr. Tunage is a successful business man. The bride is one of Pender's charming and cultivated young women and numbers her friends by the range of her acquaintance. The young people carry with them the very best wishes of a host of friends.

The out-of-town guests for the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Corbett, of Ivanhoe; Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Fennell, of Clinton; Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Merriman, Mr. and Mrs. Mosley Hussey, Miss Juliet Merriman and Mrs. J. D. Edwards, of Wilmington; Miss May D. Wooten, of Chadbourn; Misses Margaret and Carrie Bell McNeill, of Red Springs; Mr. D. H. Bland, of Goldsboro; Mr. Roy Lee, of Fayetteville, and Mr. J. R. Turnage, of Durham.

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LOCAL DOTS.

—Elders Meades and Adams will preach at the Primitive Baptist church on Castle street Tuesday night at 8 o'clock.

—There was no session of the Recorder's court again yesterday for the reason that there were no cases on the docket for trial.

—The city health department is now equipped with a large cabinet, which has been much needed for some time. The cabinet was made by the Brunswick Wood & Coal Co.

—The funeral of the late Mr. Edward J. Littleton, whose death occurred Friday night, will be held at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon from the residence, No. 312 Queen street.

—Richard Sellers was tried in Justice Harriss' court yesterday on the charge of stealing $25 from D. R. Smith. The evidence did not tend to show probable cause and the case was dismissed.

—Among the assistant marshals for the State Fair at Raleigh appointed by Chief Marshal E. B. Lyon, of Durham, are the following Wilmingtonians: Messrs. R. H. Gwaltney, O. A. Wiggins, Charles Green, H. B. Peschau, J. VanB. Metts, Milton Calder, J. N. Huske, Jr., Louis T. Moore, Burke H. Bridgers, A. S. Williams, James M. Stevenson, Graham Kenan and Walter Storm.

—Work of improving South Third street from Wright to Greenfield mill pond, in the extreme southern portion of the city, is progressing rapidly and it is said will be completed in two or three weeks. After this street has been macadamized Wright street to Front street will be macadamized, giving an improved highway from the city to connect at the limits with the new county macadam road.

—Deeds were filed for record yesterday as follows: W. A. Dick, commissioner, to Joseph H. Watters, for $9,000, lot on northwest corner of 17th and Princess streets, fronting 726 feet on Princess and having a depth of 330 feet; D. L. Gore and wife to W. F. Dodd and wife, for $10 and other considerations, lot on west side of Wood, 132 feet south of Miller street, 33x82 1-2 feet in size.

—Thomas Isaac, a colored lineman, was painfully injured Friday afternoon, on the Coast Line yards, between Third and Fourth streets, when a passing freigh engine caught up one end of a coil of rope he was carrying on his shoulder. The negro was draged for nearly two blocks and one arm was nearly severed and his head was severely lacerated. He was taken to the hospital for treatment.

—Mr. B. D. Tindall, formerly of this city, but now a well known traveling man with the Fairbank, Morse Scale Company, has invented an automobile axle which is said to contain a number of desirable features and he has made application for a patent. It is stated that Mr. Tindall already has a set of the axles with a Detroit automobile firm, and that a car will be equipped in a short time and sent South on a long distance tour.

Hearing Will Take Place Tomorrow.

Charges of nuisance and carrying concealed weapons preferred against Magistrate J. H. Sykes will be investigated in Justice W. F. Jones' court Monday morning at 10 o'clock, having been continued from yesterday afternoon on account of the slight indisposition of Mr. Jones. The case was originally set for hearing several days ago, but was continued at the request of the defendant, who stated that his attorney was then engaged elsewhere. Mr. Sykes was on hand for trial yesterday afternoon, but as stated the hearing had to be continued until Monday. In case probable cause is found the defendant will be bound over to the Recorder's court and will probably be given hearing Monday morning.

At Joyland Tomorrow.

Splendid pictures were shown at the Joyland last night and were witnessed by one of the largest Saturday night crowds ever seen at the popular resort. Tomorrow "The Debt," a drama, and "The Badgers," a roaring comedy, will be the bill. The programme at the Joyland is changed every day and the patrons are delighted with the pictures that are shown.

Negro Man Painfully Slashed.

Will Wright, colored, who lives at No. 808 North Seventh street, was painfully cut in the back some time last night and was sent to the hospital for attention. About 1 o'clock this morning the negro with whom Wright lives telephoned the City Hall that Wright had just come in and that he was badly cut. Assistant Chief of Police Woolard, who received the message, detailed Sergeant Grimsley to make an investigation. The officer found the negro to be pretty badly cut, but not seriously. He refused to tell the officer how, when or where the cutting occurred.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

Announcement by Wilmington Pastors for Pulpits Today.

Grace Church, preaching at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M., by the pastor, Rev. Thomas A. Smoot. Sunday School 4:30 P. M. Everybody welcome.

First church of Christ, Scientist, Market and 17th streets, services at 11 A. M. and 8:15 P. M. Subject of lesson sermon, "Are Sin, Disease and Death Real?" All are invited.

St. Thomas' church, first mass 7 A. M., Sunday school 3 P. M. No evening service.

St. John's Church, Third and Red Cross streets, Rev. W. E. Cox, rector. Morning prayer and sermon at 11 A. M. Sunday School 4. P. M. Evening prayer, 5 P. M. All are cordially invited.

St. James' church, Rev. W. H. Milton, D. D., rector. Morning prayer and sermon at 11 A. M. Evening prayer and address at 5 P. M. Sunday school opening at 3:45 P. M. A cordial welcome to all.

St. Matthew's English Lutheran church, North Fourth street, Rev. H. E. Beatty, pastor. Service at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Sunday school at 10 A. M. Mid-week service of prayer and praise, Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Adult cathechetical class Thursday evening at 8 P. M. Everybody welcome.

St. Paul's Lutheran church, corner of Sixth and Market streets, Rev. W. A. Snyder, pastor. Twentieth Sunday after Trinity. German service of confession and absolution, 1:30 A. M. German service with the Holy communion, 11 A. M. English vesper service, 7:30 P. M. Sunday school, 3:30 P. M. A cordial welcome to all. Seats free.

Dock Street Christian Church. Regular services morning and evening. Bible school at 10 A. M. Preaching at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 7 P. M. All are cordially invited to be present at every service of the church. In the absence of the pastor, Rev. C. B. Mashburn, of Atlantic Christian College, Wilson, N. C., will fill the pulpit.

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PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. L. McNeill, of Burgaw, N. C., was a Wilmington business visitor yesterday.

—C. Ed Taylor, Esq., editor of the Southport News, was a visitor to the city last night.

—Mr. Oscar B. Turner, of Elizabethtown, N. C., was a business visitor to the city yesterday.

—Friends of Mr. W. R. Allen will regret to learn that he is confined to his home at Armour, N. C., with smallpox.

—Mr. A. B. Skelding, general manager of the Tidewater Power Company, left last night for Charleston, S. C., where he will take a Clyde Line steamer for a business trip of two weeks to Atlantic City and New York.

Among the guests at The Orton yesterday were: E. H. Hughes, Durham; Geo. W. Jackson, St. Augustine, Fla.; J. T. Harris, Washington, N. C.; F. B. Gault, Lake Waccamaw; H. W. Early, Aberdeen; N. M. Gilliam, San Juan, Cuba.

ZENGLE WON AUTO RACE.

Event Conducted by Quaker City Motor Club—Other Winners.

Philadelphia, October 8.—Len Zengle, in a Chadwick car, won the third annual 200-mile road race of the Quacker City Motor Club over an eight-mile course in Fairmont Park this afternoon in three hours, 29 minutes, seven 88-100 seconds, snatching the victory from Ralph Mulford, who drove a Lozier, by the narrow margin of 5 42-100 seconds.

Tobin deHymel, the Aztec Indian, finished third in a Stoddard-Dayton. His time was three hours, 37 minutes, 42 95-100 seconds. John Aitken, in a National, fourth, in three hours, 42 minutes, 20 75-100 seconds. W. G. Jagersberger, driving a Mercedes, was fifth in three hours, 43 minutes, 18 71-100 seconds, Harry Cobe, in a Jackson, sixth, Harry C. Knight, in a Westcott, seventh, Ernest Gilliard, driving a Pullman, eighth, and George B. Davison, in an Apperson, last.

Zengle's time breaks the record of three hours, 38 minutes, 58 4-5 seconds, made by him in 1908. The time for the 8 1-10 miles course was lowered from 7:41, made by Zengle last year, to 7:38, made on the twelfth lap today by Ray Harroun, in a Marmon car. Harroun dropped out of the race on the 24th lap.

Zengle receives $2,500 for winning the race and $1,000 and a $400 cup for the best time in his division. The 32 cars entered were divided into five divisions, according to piston displacement. Zengle's car had a displacement of 707. For making the best time in their respective divisions, Mulford, Aitken, Gilliard and Vincent Padula received $1,000 and a $400 cup each. Padula, in an Abbott-Detroit, leading the lightest car division, was stopped in the 23rd lap, as he was then far ahead and the crowd had begun to surge over the course.

Today's race was one of the greatest ever run in this vicinity, approximately a half million persons being massed along both sides of the eight mile of roads through picturesque Fairmont Park. Not a serious accident was reported due to the racing machines, but there were numerous mishaps incident to such a big gathering.

The most serious accident befell a Simplex car, on the dangerous curve at Sweetbrier. Ralph Beardsley, driver, turning at terrific speed ran into a railroad bridge. The car was upset, his mechanician, Glenn Ethridge, sustained fractures of the arm and leg, but is not otherwise badly hurt. Beardsley escaped with severe bruises.

Te race for first place between Zengle and Mulford was thrilling and enthusiastically cheered.

Mulford led the first four laps, when Ervin R. Bergdoll, a wealthy Philadelphia amateur passed him, Bergdoll drove a Benz car, which developed engine trouble while holding the lead in the sixteenth lap. It gave out in trying to climb a hill on Neill drive and Bergdoll had to declare himself out. Then Mulford and Zengle raced. The former led on the 17th, 18th and 19th laps, but had to stop for supplies and Zengle commanded the next three by bare margins. The 23rd lap found Mulford in the lead by one second and he finished the 24th nine seconds in front of Zengle.

Finally, at the finish of the race, Mulford passed the stand in 209:13:30, amid tremendous cheers and it was thought the victory was Mulford's. Zengle started in the race 30 seconds behind Mulford and it was thought he would not be able to beat Mulford's time. Suddenly, however, the daring Zengle shot past and the timers announced 209:07:88, the victory going to Zengle.

COLORED BAPTISTS.

Association in Session at Rocky Point—Resolutions, Etc.

(Special Star Corespondence.)

Rocky Point, N. C., Oct. 8.—The Colored Baptist Association in session at Rocky Point met at 10 o'clock, the moderator presiding. Devotional exercises were conducted by Rev. G. B. Herring. The second day's proceedings were read and approved. The roll was called and corrected after which delegates were appointed to the Baptist State Convention and other neighboring bodies similar to the Association. At 11:30 o'clock the Rev. W. H. Moore, pastor of Shiloh Baptist Church, Wilmington, preached the educational sermon. It was a very able effort. Collection at the close of same $63.20. The Association by remarks and resolutions proved to be down on the carrying of concealed weapons, gambling, the divorce mill and other vices that debauch people. The leading spirits in the body against such are Revs. I. M. Powers, J. L. Fennell, W. H. Moore, D. C. Gore, G. W. Carr, L. T. Bond, H. Peterson and others.

In a partial report the Finance Committee showed raised for all purposes $562.19.

The doctrinal sermon was preached tonight by Rev. D. D. DeVane.

The following resolutions were adopted by the Association: "We hereby tender our thanks to the people of Rocky Point who have so lavishly entertained the Association, the Wilmington Star for courties shown in publishing our proceedings. The next Association will be held at Pleasant Hill, Bladen county.

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WILMINGTON TO CHARLOTTE

Pathfinding Cars to Leave This City on Morning of October 18th—The Schedule as Finally Determined—Interest.

Those interested in the movement to link Wilmington and Charlotte with a modern higthway will be pleased to learn that the executive committee of the Charlotte-Wilmington Highway Association has definitely decided that the pathfinding cars shall leave Wilmington on the morning of Tuesday, October 18th, and are scheduled to arrive in Charlotte at 4 o'clock the following afternoon, a stop over night being made at Rockingham as a compliment to Col. H. C. Dockery, president of the association.

There is great interest in the proposed highway in every county that will be touched by the road and the interest is no greater at any point than in Wilmington, which will reap great benefit from the highway. There is no doubt but that a number of cars will start from this city to make the first trip over the proposed route and others will join the party en route, arriving at Charlotte with some 25 or 30 cars, perhaps. The Charlotte people will provide abundant entertainment for the party while in that city.

Mr. A. B. Skelding, of this city, secretary of the association and one of the moving spirits, will not be able to accompany the pathfinding party as he contemplated, having been called North last night on business which will keep him away for two weeks, and the party will be piloted by Mr. W. D. McMillan. Secretary Skelding has sent out the following letter to members of the executive committee relative to the trip of the pathfinding cars:

"Gentlemen:—It has finally been determined to start the pathfinding cars from Wilmington on October 18th. The following is the route and schedule which has been laid out, subject to such changes as weather condition may dictate:

"Leave foot Market street, Wilmington, 6 A. M., Oct. 18th.
Arrive Cronly 7:30 A. M.
Arrive Lake Waccamaw 10.45 A. M.
Arrive Chadbourn 11:45 A. M. (dinner)
Arrive Lumberton 3 P. M.
Arrive Maxton 4 P. M.
Arrive Laurinburg 5 P. M.
Arrive Hamlet 6:30 P. M.
Arrive Rockingham 7 P. M. (spend night.)
Leave Rockingham 6 A. M. Oct. 19th.
Arrive Wadesboro 9 A. M.
Arrive Monroe 12 M. (dinner.)
Arrive Charlotte 4 P. M.

"It is strongly urged upon the members of the executive committee that they secure as many cars as possible from their respective counties to make this trip to Charlotte. Two competent engineers will accompany the cars from Wilmington to make field notes and observations of the trip and a detailed report of the route authorized and condition of the roads experienced. The principal points only have been outlined, and the detiled route through each county is left to the respective pilots. Any improvements which can be made in the route before that time will contribute materially to the comfort of the trip. If the alternate route through Bladen county is in shape the cars will return from Charlotte that way."

The Charlotte Observer is deeply interested in the highway and has agreed to print as many signs as will be required to mark the highway. Secretary Skelding has written to the members of the executive committee asking how many signs will be required in their respective counties so that he can notify The Observer how many to print.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES.

Meeting for Men in Y. M. C. A. Parlors This Afternoon.

The men's meeting in the parlors of the Y. M. C. A. at 5 o'clock this afternoon will be addressed by Rev. Thos. A. Smoot, pastor of Grace Methodist Church, who will speak on the subject, "God as a Business Partner." A feature of the meeting will be a solo by Mr. W. B. Muse. All men of the city are cordially invited to attend.

The regular weekly meeting and fellowship supper of the Bible Study Club will be held Monday evening, and all members are urged to attend.

Owing to the installation of the new 500-gallon capacity tank it was necessary to suspend the gym classes the latter part of the week, but the classes will resume tomorrow. The tank was installed by Messrs. W. R. Dosher & Co., the well known plumbers, and was put in use yesterday at noon. The hot water from the tank was used by scores of persons yesterday and there was still many gallons left last night. The installation of the larger tank is a great improvement. The new combination steel lockers have been received and are being installed.

The following are the appointments for the Yoke Fellows' meetings today: City prison, 10 A. M., J. T. Sholar; County Home, 3 P. M., K. W. Price and H. E. O'Keef; Wrightsboro, 8 P. M., Eli Cavanaugh and R. F. Coleman; Greenville Sound, 8 P. M., J. B. Huntington and H. McA. Rose; Wrightsville Sound, 4:30 P. M., Rev. H. W. Flynn and H. G. Bowden; United States Steamship Seminole, 10 A. M., Dr. Joseph Akerman.

At the Bijou Tomorrow.

"The Usurer" is the title of the feature picture that will be shown tomorrow at the Bijou. The story is founded on Mat. 6:19: "Lay not up for yourself treasures upon earth, where moth and rust doth corrupt." The fight for fortune is ethical where the methods are legitimate, but one despicable means is that of the usurer or money shark, who fattens on the misfortunes of his fellow beings. "Wife's Mamma," is the title of another picture that will be found of interest.

A CARD.

To my friends who so loyally stood by me in my fight for re-appointment as Collector of Customs, I desire to offer my heartfelt thanks, and would say more but have not the words to express my sincere appreciation.

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"I have had stomach trouble for over two years and always thought I had heart trouble, for I had pains in my left side. My heart and nerves were weak. I have had a good many doctors but none helped me. I got one of your little books, read it, bought one bottle of Syrup Pepsin to try. The very first bottle helped me and I have used three 50c bottles and feel like a new man. I can eat, sleep and work every day"—Rudy Kasner, No. 364 8th St., Moline, Ill.

"I am pleased to write and let you know that Syrup Pepsin is the greatest remedy on earth for all stomach troubles. I had bad stomach trouble for more than five or six years and I tried all kinds of medicines without their doing me any good, but now I use only your Syrup Pepsin and I feel like a new man. I eat anything I want and three square meals a day."—P. H. Gavellas, Wagoner, Okla.

LAST IMPEDIMENT REMOVED

Special Meeting of Aldermen May be Held This Week to Consider Offer for Sewerage Bonds. The Work.

Mayor Walter G. MacRae stated yesterday afternoon that a meeting of the Board of Aldermen would probably be held Monday night to consider an offer of the Wilmington Savings & Trust Company to lend the city $100,000 upon the bonds for the sewerage system until the bonds can be floated upon a satisfactory basis.

The offer is made through Mr. Chas. E. Taylor, president of the institution, general mention of which was made in The Star some days ago. Acceptance of the proposition would mean that the city would be given immediate possession of the $100,000 and that the Water and Sewerage Commission could, if the money on hand is not sufficient, proceed at once with its plans to provide an adequate sewerage system for the city. The Mayor stated that no request had been made for a meeting, but that Alderman Stone, of the Finance committee, had stated that probably a request would be made for a meeting the first part of the week.

The offer from the Wilmington Savings & Trust Co., is to lend the city $100,000 on its notes, secured by $100,000 of the 4 1-2 per cent. bonds, the notes to bear interest at 6 per cent. per annum and to run for 90 days from date of issue with privilege of renewal for nine months, if desired. The difference in interest that would be required on the bonds between 4 1-2 and 5 per cent., running 40 years, would be $20,000, while the difference between the rate paid on the loan and the interest on the bonds would amount in one year to $1,350. While it is difficult to sell 4 1-2 per cent. municipal bonds at par just now, many believe the situation will improve after the first of the year. Even if this be not true, it is pointed out, that the worst that could happen would be the sale of the 5 per cent. bonds one year hence instead of now; on the other hand, if the 4 1-2 per cent. bonds can be sold instead of these at a higher rate, a great saving to the city will be effected.

The proceeds of the sale, under the offer of the savings bank, will be immediately available and the work can proceed at once, if the Commission does not feel that it is warranted in proceeding with the amount now on hand, and the paving can also go forward. In the event the loan from the bank is taken, the bank would expect the proceeds to be deposited with the same bank on the usual terms of interest, which is the best possible to offer under the rules of the Clearing House Association. To secure this large deposit, the bank offers to furnish individual or fidelity depository bond for double the amount involved. The bank would further expect the city to bear the attorney's fee for passing on legality of notes and bonds, which would be a small matter as the issue of bonds has already been passed upon by one of the most eminent law firms in the United States at the former sale of the same issue.

Having reached this stage of the proceedings and with a threatened suit from the owners of the established system, the public is now exceedingly anxious to see the "powers that be" plunge into the whole matter and clear it up without further delay. If the Street and Sewerage Commission does not feel warranted in making a start with what money it has on hand, the Aldermen having advised that body that it would not recommend the purchase of the existing system, the burden of responsibility can no longer be shifted and the people are waiting for results. The sooner legal entanglements are out of the way, it seems the general opinion, that the better it will be all around. The people are now chafing under the delay.

FOOTBALL GAME YESTERDAY.

Junior Baraca Team Defeated Southside Team Five to Nothing.

The first game of football of the season at League Park was played yesterday afternoon the opposing teams being the Junior Baraca eleven, a team representing the Southern section of the city, resulting in a victory for the former by the score of 5 to 0. There was much interest in the game, which was played according to the new rules, which are said to have been very satisfactory. The woork of Cooper, Hall and Blue for the Baracas and Parsley and Hicks for the Southside team featured the contest. The line-up was as follows: Southside: Rightend, Davis; rightackle, Burnett; right guard, McKoy; center, Cantwell; left guard, Shaw; left tackle, Merriman, J.; left end, Strange; quarter back, Williams; right halfback, Parsley; left halfback, Merriman, L.; fullback, Hicks. Baracas: right end, Hall; right tackle, Wells; right guard, Mills; center, Morrison; left guard, Smith; left tackle, Myers; left end, Houston; quarter back, Blue; right halfback, Penny; left halfback, Boone; fullback, Cooper. Referee, Cantwell; time-keeper, Wright; head linesman, Cooper, C.

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FINANCIAL and COMMERCIAL

A FEATURE DAY FOR COTTON

Most Active and Exciting Opening of Season on the Market—Reached New High Records—Sensational Strength.

New York, Oct. 8.—The cotton market has the most active and exciting opening of the season this morning and prices made new high records to the sensational strength of the cables. Reactions followed as a result of extremely heavy realizing, but the final tone of the market was steady and closing prices showed a gain of from 8 to 15 points for the day.

The opening was firm at an advance of 13 to 25 points with October contracts selling at 14.57 and January at 14.72, owing to the big advance in Liverpool, and reports indicating that the foreign strength was the result of a big trade demand rather than of bull speculation. Advices from New England mill circles were also encouraging from a bullish standpoint and at the opening here there was a big demand from recent sellers for a reaction, as well as a big wave of fresh buying for long account and a large demand from trade interests. It looked as many of the biggest bulls in the market were taking profits on the initial advance while there were many predictions of a reaction and prices eased off from the top in consequence, but offerings were so well absorbed that the market showed no sign of weakness and the close was generally up from the lowest on the late positions.

There was nothing in the weather news to create fresh sentiment as to the size of the crop and judging from the talk around the ring the advance represented a feeling in many circles that mills of the world having become convinced of high prices for the season's supply, are entering the market during the early marketing period following the experiences of last season's when prices toward the end of the season were forced to very high levels by the scarcity of supplies and their concentration into a comparatively few hands. The big advance in Liverpool futures were accomplished by such an advance in the price of spot and such a good demand for a half session as to cover the private cables reporting a continued increase in trade demand since the settlement of the Lancashire strike and advices from Fall River reported that the mills there would go on full time beginning Monday.

Receipts at the ports today 48,278 bales against 45,824 last week and 67,127 last year; for the week 375,000 bales against 345,749 last week and 440,508 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans 3,159 bales against 9,767 last year.

Spot cotton closed steady, 15 points advance; middling uplands 14.65; middling gulf 14.90; no sales today. Futures opened firm and closed steady.

Month	Open	High	Low	Close
Oct.	14 56	14 57	14 43	14 43
Nov.	—	14 45	14 45	14 44
Dec.	14 65	14 73	14 57	14 59
Jan.	14 72	14 72	14 60	14 63
Feb.	—	—	—	14 69
March	14 84	14 87	14 77	14 82
April	—	—	—	14 86
May	14 92	14 95	14 86	14 90
June	—	—	—	14 89
July	14 95	14 96	14 87	14 93

Port Movement.

Galveston—Tone, firm; middling, 14 3-8; net receipts, 14,427; gross receipts, 15,427; sales, 4,750; stock, 113,840; coastwise, 1,950.

New Orleans—Tone steady; middling, 14 1-4; net receipts, 3,159; gross receipts, 3,468; sales, 2,300; stock, 27,799; continent, 113; coastwise, 1,763.

Mobile—Net receipts, 1,725; gross receipts, 1,725; stock, 24,413; coastwise, 160.

Savannah—Tone, steady; middling, 14 3-8; net receipts, 18,661; gross receipts, 18,661; sales, 6,945; stock, 105,615; coastwise, 4,657.

Charleston—Net receipts, 3,205; gross receipts, 3,205; stock, 33,133; coastwise, 150.

Wilmington—Tone, quiet; middling, 14; net receipts, 2,444; gross receipts, 2,444; stock, 19,304.

Norfolk—Tone, firm; middling 14 1-2; net receipts, 2,957; gross receipts, 2,957; sales, 436; stock, 14,206; coastwise, 1,789.

Baltimore—Tone nominal; middling, 14 5-8; stock, 663.

New York—Tone, steady; middling, 14.65; gross receipts, 2,323; stock, 74,480; Great Britain, 1,000; continent, 2,313.

Boston—Tone, steady; middling, 14.65; gross receipts, 7994; stock, 9,031; continent, 132.

Philadelphia—Tone, steady; middling, 14.90; gross receipts, 200; stock, 2,825.

San Francisco—Net receipts, 700; gross receipts, 700; Japan, 700.

Minor Ports—Stock, 8,527.

Total today at all ports, net receipts, 48,278; Great Britain, 1,000; continent, 2,557; Japan, 700; stock, 433,446.

Consolidated, at all ports, net receipts, 48,278; Great Britain, 1,000; continent, 2,537; Japan, 700.

Total since Sept. 1, at all ports, net receipts, 1,326,712; Great Britain, 443,879; France, 117,595; continent, 346,706; Japan, 4,296.

Interior Movement.

Houston—Tone, steady; middling, 14 1-2; net receipts, 20,758; gross receipts, 20,758; shipments, 20,171; sales, 10,719; stock, 72,101.

Augusta—Tone, steady; middling, 14 7-16; net receipts, 3,411; gross receipts, 3,881; shipments, 2,081; sales, 1,742; stock, 24,705.

Memphis—Tone, steady; middling, 14 5-8; net receipts, 2,245; gross receipts, 2,500; shipments, 455; sales, 1,000; stock, 17,324.

St. Louis—Gross receipts, 1,141; shipments, 1,141; stock, 339.

Cincinnati—Net receipts, 508; gross receipts, 508; shipments, 611; stock, 5,752.

Little Rock—Tone, steady; middling, 14; net receipts, 641; gross receipts, 641; shipments, 588; stock, 4,321.

Louisville—Tone, firm; middling, 14 1-2; net receipts, 29,629; shipments, 25,353; sales, 13,461; stock, 124,542.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Spot in Demand, Prices Increase Rapidly—Futures.

Liverpool, Oct. 8.—Spot cotton in increased demand, prices 18 points higher. American middling fair 8.44; good middling 8.08; middling 7.88; low middling 7.68; good ordinary 7.42; ordinary 7.15. The sales of the day were 8,000 bales, of which 300 were for speculation and export and included 6,200 American. Receipts 10,000 bales, including 3,900 American.

Futures opened firm and closed steady. October 7.67; October and November 7.61; November and December 7.57; December and January 7.57; January and February 7.58; February and March 7.59 1-2; March and April 7.61 1-2; April and May 7.61 1-2; May and June 7.62 1-2; June and July 7.60 1-2; July and August 7.59.

Boys' School Suits, $2.98 at Rehder's Big Store—Fourth Street Bridge. **

MARINE

Cleared.

Str. Navahoe, Packer, New York, H. G. Smallbones.

Br. str. Hillbrook, Hopley, Liverpool, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Exports—Foreign.

Liverpool—Br. str. Hillbrook, 11,223 bales of cotton, valued at $1,040,000; vessel and cargo by Alexander Sprunt & Son.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels Now in Port at Wilmington, N. C.

Steamers.

Queen Wilhelmina (Br.) 2,307 tons, Manning, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Crown of Castile (Br.) 2,828 tons, Smith, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Sontro (Br.) 1,771 tons, Davies, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Annette Furness (Dan.) 1,151 tons, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Schooners.

Silver Spray, 163 tons, Calder, C. D. Maffitt, (in distress.)

John Rose, 552 tons, Douglass, C. D. Maffitt.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., Oct. 8.

Atlantic Coast Line Railroad—2,444 bales cotton; 4 casks spirits turpentine; 34 barrels rosin; 30 barrels tar; 24 barrels crude turpentine.

Total—2,444 bales cotton; 4 casks spirits turpentine; 35 barrels rosin; 30 barrels tar; 24 barrels crude turpentine.

THE PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, Oct. 8.—Flour quiet and barely steady; Spring patents 5.40 to 5.60; winter patents 4.50 to 4.80.

Rye Flour and Corn Meal—Steady

Buckwheat Flour and Buckwheat—Quiet.

Rye—Firm.

Lard—Easy.

Tallow and Petroleum—Steady.

Rice—Steady.

Molasses—Quiet.

Sugar—Raw steady. Refined—Steady.

Wheat—Spot easy, No. 2 red 1.03 1-4 elevator and 1.02 1-2 f.o.b. afloat. Futures closed 3-8c net lower. December 1.05 3-4; May 1.10 1-8.

Corn—Spot steady; No. 2, 59 3-4 elevator domestic basis to arrive and 59 1-2 afloat. Futures closed irregular at 1-4c decline to 1c advance. December 57 3-8; May 61 1-8.

Oats—Soot steady; standard white 39 1-2; Futures closed 1-2c lower to 5-8c advance. October 39 1-4; December 40; May 41 1-4; July 41.

Coffee—Futures closed quiet, net unchanged to 4 points lower. Spot coffee quiet; Rio No. 7, 10 7-8 to 11; Santos No. 4, 11 3-4. Mild—Quiet; Cordova 11 1-4 to 13 3-4.

Potatoes, Cabbages, Freights and Peanuts—Quiet, unchanged.

Butter and Cheese—Steady, unchanged.

Eggs—Firm, unchanged. Fresh gathered first 24 1-2 to 28; do first 25 to 26; do seconds 23 to 24 1-2; checks best 18 to 19; iresh gathered candied 20 to 21.

Cotton Seed Oil—Market was a little easier for the near positions on the explanations of arrivals of new crop oil, but the late months were firm on speculative buying, closing at 7 points decline to 2 advance. October 8.42 to 8.44; November 7.62 to 7.65; December 7.53 to 7.55; January 7.57 to 7.59; February 7.60 to 7.66; prime crude prompt 6.67; prime summer yellow 8.60 to 10.00; prime winter yellow 8.40 to 11.00; prime summer white 8.40 to 11.00.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, Oct. 8.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Steady, 75 cents.

ROSIN—Steady, $5.40 per barrel of 280 pounds.

TAR—Firm, $2.60 per barrel.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market firm $4.50 per barrel for hard; $6.00 for dip and $6.00 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine firm 57; rosin, nothing doing; tar, steady, $1.80; crude turpentine firm, $2.50, $4.00 and $4.50.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine	4
Tar	35
Rosin	30
Crude Turpentine	24

Receipts, same day last year, 2 casks spirits turpentine; 20 barrels rosin; 68 barrels of tar; 51 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market, quiet; 13¾c. Quotations corresponding day last year, 12¾ cents.

Receipts of cotton at the ports today, 4,541 bales; same day last year, 5,017 bales.

PRODUCE MARKET.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, Oct. 2nd.)

PEANUTS—North Carolina, No. 1 $1.20 to $1.25 per bushel.

CORN—Firm 85 to 90 per bushel.

N. C. HAMS—Dull; hams 20; shoulders 16 cents, and side 17c.

EGGS—Good demand 25 cents.

CHICKENS—Spring 15 and 30; grown 40, scarce.

BEESEWAX—Firm 27c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2 to 5c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 60 cents per bushel.

HIDES—Dr. flint 13c; green 7c per pound

WOOL—Burr 12 to 15c; free of burr 18 to 20c.

GEESE—Out of Season.

PORK—Out of Season.

SHEEP—Grown $1.00 to $2.50.

LAMBS—Good demand $1.50 to $3.00.

PEAS—Out of Season.

IRISH POTATOES—New crop 90c to $1.60, dull.

COTTON MARKET YESTERDAY.

Liverpool Advanced 20 Points—Further Developments Awaited.

(Special Star Telegram.)

New York, Oct. 8.—English spinners, who expected a decline on the threatened lock-out were large buyers in Liverpool advancing that market some 20 American points. At the opening here October and December advanced fully equal to advance abroad, but January to July were heavily sold by large traders who, have been long.

This profit taking was on an enormous scale and the market took the offerings in a remarkable manner. Liverpool brokers took large amounts on arbitrage, thus releasing contracts to the spinners. The trade looked for a continued better market in Liverpool on Monday as the complications in the markets caused by the dispute between the bankers over the bills of lading guarantee threatens to advance that market relatively with the American markets. So complicated is this question that we hear that many of the foreign buyers are in receipt of instructions to await further developments before buying sentiment in market continues very bullish.

HUBBARD BROS. & CO.

See the Persian Silks that will be on display at Gaylord's this week. **

SPECULATION AT STANDSTILL

Another Listless Day on the Stock Market—Complexion of the Money Statement Feature—General Conditions.

New York, Oct. 8.—Speculation was at a standstill in today's stock market. The immediate influence was the desire to see the complexion of the bank statement.

Aside from the showing made by that document the general course of the money market makes for conservatism in speculative extension. The tranquility of the money market up to this time plainly is due to the self-restraint of the speculative spirit. The interior demand for money to move the crops has not been satisfied yet, and the question is arising how long the volume of new capital issues can be kept down to the low figure ruling for three months past.

The specialties continued to command the greatest share of attention in the day's trading. Strength in that class had some sympathetic effect in keeping the tone firm in the general list. The slight increase in the surplus shown by the actual condition of the banks was brought about by sharp curtailment of loans in order to cut down the deposit item sufficiently to outrun the shrinkage in reserve, the cash item showing all of the estimated $4,000,000 loss. The effect is to broaden the excess of loans over deposits, which is the subject of criticism in the present banking position. The loan contradiction of $15,098,200 in the actual condition of the clearing house banks is set against a loan increase of $12,647,600 by other banks and trust companies, pointing to a shifting of loan accounts from one quarter to another for the relief of the situation of the clearing house banks.

Bonds were irregular. Total par value $1,010,000. United States bonds are unchanged from last week in the bid price on call. Total sales stocks today were 90,300 shares.

Closing Stock List.

Allis Chalmers pfd.	33 1-4
Amalgamated Copper	66 1-4
American Agricultural	45 3-4
American Beet Sugar	29 3-8
American Can	8 1-8
American Car & Foundry	48 3-4
American Cotton Oil	64
American Hide & Leather pfd.	21 1-4
American Ice Securities	18
American Linseed	11
American Locomotive	36 3-4
American Smelting & Refining	69 3-8
Amer. Smelting & Refining pfd.	102
Am. Steel Foundries	43
American Sugar Refining	115 3-4
American Tel. & Tel.	137 1-4
American Tobacco pfd.	93 1-2
American Woolen	29 3-4
Anaconda Mining Co.	40 1-4
Atchison	100 3-8
Atchison pfd.	100 3-8
Atlantic Coast Line	115
Baltimore & Ohio	106 5-8
Bethleham Steel	27
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	76 1-4
Canadian Pacific	34 1-2
Canadian Pacific	194 3-4
Central Leather pfd.	104 1-2
Central of New Jersey	300
Chesapeake & Ohio	81 3-8
Chicago & Alton	34 1-2
Chicago Great Western	23 3-4
Chicago Great Western pfd.	47 5-8
Chicago & North Western	147
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul	122 1-2
C., C., C. & St. Louis	77
Colorado Fuel & Iron	32 1-2
Colorado & Southern	56 5-8
Consolidated Gas	133 3-4
Corn Products	13 1-2
Delaware & Hudson	166 1-2
Denver & Rio Grande	31 3-4
Denver & Rio Grande pfd.	78
Distillers' Securities	29 1-8
Erie	27 1-2
Erie 1st pfd.	46
Erie 2nd pfd.	35 1-2
General Electric	150
Great Northern pfd.	127 5-8
Great Northern Ore Ctfs.	56 1-4
Illinois Central	131 3-4
Interborough-Met.	20 3-8
Interborough-Met. pfd.	55 3-4
Inter Harvester	99
Inter-Marine pfd.	16 7-8
International Paper	11 1-2
International Pump	41 3-4
Iowa Central	17 1-8
Kansas City Southern	31
Kansas City Southern pfd.	64
Laclede Gas	99 3-4
Louisville & Nashville	146
Minneapolis & St. Louis	24 1-2
Minn., St. P. & Sault St. M.	132
Missouri, Kansas & Texas	34 5-8
Missouri, Kansas & Texas pfd.	63
Missouri Pacific	55 1-4
National Biscuit	100 3-4
National Lead	55 1-4
Nat'l Rys. of Mexico 2nd pfd.	32 3-4
New York Central	114
New York, Ontario & Western	41 1-4
Norfolk & Western	98
North American	66
Northern Pacific	118 3-8
Pacific Mail	30 3-4
Pennsylvania	130 1-8
People's Gas	107 1-4
Pittsburg, C. C. & St. Louis	93
Pittsburg oCal	17
Pressed Steel Car	33 1-4
Pullman Palace aCr	161
Railway Steel Springs	33 7-8
Reading	146 1-2
Republic Steel	31 1-2
Republic Steel pfd.	92 1-2
Rock Island Co.	31 3-8
Rock Island Co. pfd.	62
St. Louis & San Fran. 2nd pfd.	40 1-4
St. Louis Southwestern	29
St. Louis Southwestern pfd.	69
Sloss Sheffield Steel and Iron	51
Southern Pacific	115 1-8
Southern Railway	24 1-2
Southern Railway pfd.	55 1-2
Tennessee Copper	35 1-4
Texas & Pacific	27 3-4
Toledo, St. Louis & West	25 1-2
Toledo, St. Louis & West. pfd.	56
Union Pacific	167 3-4
Union Pacific pfd.	91 1-4
United States Realty	67 1-2
United States Rubber	35 1-2
United States Steel	69 7-8
United States Steel pfd.	118 3-4
Utah Copper	49 1-2
Virginia Carolina Chemical	60
Wabash	16 7-8
Wabash pfd.	36 7-8
Western Maryland	47
Westinghouse Electric	71 1-2
Western Union	75
Wheeling & Lake Erie	5 3-8

N. Y. Bonds.

U. S. ref. 2s registered	100 3-4
U. S. ref 2s coupon	100 3-4
U. S. 3s, registered	101 3-4
U. S. 3s, coupon	101 3-4
U. S. 4s, registered	114 3-4
U. S. 4s coupon	115
Allis-Chalmers 1st 5s	79 1-4
American Agricultural 5s	102
American Tel. & Tel. cv. 4s	103 1-4
American Tobacco 6s	80 5-8
American Tobacco 4s	105 1-8
Armour & Co. 4 1-2s	92 3-4
Atchison gen. 4s	100
Atchison cv. 4s	105
Atchison cv. 5s	108 1-4
Atlantic Coast Line 1st 4s	96 1-4
Baltimore & Ohio 4s	90
Baltimore & Ohio 3 1-2s	93
Baltimore & Ohio S. W. 3 1-2s	91
Brooklyn Transit cv. 4s	83 5-8
Central of Georgia 5s	107 3-4
Central Leather 5s	99 5-8
Central R. R. of N. J. gen. 5s	123 1-8
Chesapeake & Ohio 4 1-2s	102 1-2
Chesapeake & Ohio ref. 5s	93 7-8
Chicago & Alton 3 1-2s	72 3-4
Chicago, B. & Quincy Joint 4s	96 5-8
Chicago, B. & Quincy gen. 4s	97 1-2
Chicago, Mil. & St. P. deb. 4s	93 1-4
Chicago, R. I. & Pac. R. R. col. 4s	75
Chicago, R. I. & Pac. R. R. rfg. 4s	90 1-8
Colorado Industrial 5s	76 1-2
Colorado Midland 4s	70 3-4
Colorado & Southern ref. & ext 4 1-2s	97 7-8
Delaware & Hudson cv. 4s	98 1-4
Denver & Rio Grande 4s	95
Denver & Rio Grande ref. 5s	92 1-4
Distillers 5s	73 1-2
Erie prior lien 4s	85 1-2
Erie gen. 4s	75 1-2
Erie cv. 4s series "A"	74 1-2
Erie cv. 4s series "D"	69 1-4
General Electric cv. 5s	146
Illinois Central 1st ref. 4s	99
Interborough-Met. 4 1-2s	81 1-4
Inter. Merc. Marine 4 1-2s	65 3-4
Japan	89 1-4
Japan 4 1-2s	94 5-8
Kansas City Southern 1st 3s	73 1-4
Lake Shore 4s	93 3-8
Louisville & Nash. Un. 4s	98 3-8
Missouri, Kan. & Texas 1st 4s	98 1-4
Mo., Kan. & Texas gen. 4 1-2s	86 1-4
Missouri Pacific 4s	78
National Rys. of Mexico 4 1-2s	94 3-4
New York Central gen. 3 1-2s	89 1-2
New York Central deb. 4s	94 7-8
N. Y., N. H. & Hartford cv. 6s	135
Norfolk & Western 1st con. 4s	99 1-8
Norfolk & Western cv. 4s	99 1-2
Northern Pacific 4s	101
Northern Pacific 3s	71 3-4
Oregon Short Line rfdg 4s	93 7-8
Penn. cv. 3 1-2s (1915)	96 5-8
Penn. con. 4s	102 3-4
Reading gen. 4s	99
St. Louis & San Fran. fg. 4s	82 1-2
St. Louis & San Fran. gen. 5s	87 1-4
St. Louis S'western con. 4s	76 3-4
St. Louis S'western 1st gold 4s	91 1-2
Seaboard Air Line 5s	70 1-2
Southern Pacific col. 4s	92
Southern Pacific cv. 4s	98 1-2
Southern Pacific R. R. 1st ref. 4s	95 1-4
Southern Railway 5s	109
Southern Railway gen. 4s	76 1-4
Union Pacific 4s	103 3-8
Union Pacific cv. 4s	109
Union Pacific 1st and ref. 4s	97 1-4
U. S. Rubber 6s	103
U. S. Steel 2nd 5s	104 1-8
Virginia Ca. Chemical 5s	100
Wabash 1st 5s	109 3-4
Wabash 1st and ext. 4s	65 1-8
Western Md. 4s	86 3-8
Westinghouse Electric cv. 5s	92 7-8
Wisconsin Central 4s	93 1-2

THE GRAIN MARKET.

Chicago, October 8.—Expectation of a substantial increase Monday in the visible supply of wheat operated to prevent a rise in prices today. Moreover, Argentine news was less unfavorable as to the crop outlook. The close was 1-4c lower to 1-4c higher than last night. Corn finished 1-8 to 1-4 to 1-4c up and oats unchanged to 1-4 advance. There was a net decline of 10 to 25c in hog products.

Wheat—No 2 red, 98 1-4 to 98 3-4; No. 3 red, 97 1-2; No. 2 hard, 98 to 103; No. 3 hard, 96 to 1.00; No. 1 northern, 1.12 to 1.15; No. 2 northern, 1.10 to 1.13; No. 3 northern, 1.08 to 1.11; No. 2 spring, 1.10; No. 3 spring, 95 to 1.08; durum, 85 to 99.

Corn—No. 2, 52; No. 2 white, 53 1-4; No. 2 yellow, 52 to 52 1-4; No. 3, 51 1-2 to 51 3-4; No. 3 white, 51 3-4 to 52; No. 3 yellow, 51 to 51 1-2; No. 4, 51 to 51 1-4; No. 4 white, 51 to 51 1-2; No. 4 yellow, 51 1-4 to 51 1-2.

Oats—No. 2 white, 34 1-4 to 34 1-2; No. 3 white, 33 1-4 to 33 1-2; No. 4 white, 42 1-2 to 33; standard, 34c.

Wheat—

	Open	High	Low	Close
Dec.	98	98¾	97¾	98¼
May	104	104⅝	103¾	104¼
July	99	99⅝	99	99⅝
Corn—				
Dec.	49¾	49⅝	49	49½
May	52⅜	52½	52	52½
Oats—				
Dec.	32⅜	33	32⅜	32⅞
May	35⅜	36¼	35¾	36⅜

Mess Pork, per barrels—

Jan.	17 55	17 55	17 47½	17 47½
May	16 85	16 90	16 80	16 82½

Lard, per 100 pounds—

Nov.	11 55	11 75	11 65	11 65
Jan.	10 42½	10 62½	10 55	10 60
May	10 55	10 75	10 67½	10 70

Short Ribs, per 100 pounds—

Oct.	11 65	11 65	10 87½	10 87½
Jan.	9 35	9 35	9 27½	9 27½
May	9 30	9 30	9 22½	9 22½

NAVAL STORES.

New York, Oct. 8.—Turpentine firm.

Charleston, S. C., Oct. 8.—Turpentine firm, 75 1-4 to 75 1-2.

Rosin firm. Quote: A, B, C, 6.25; D, 6.25; E, 6.30; F, 6.30; G, 6.35; H, 6.40 to 6.45; I, 6.50; K, 6.65; M, 6.85; N, 6.90; WG, 7.00; WW, 7.15 to 7.00.

Savannah, Oct. 8.—Turpentine firm, 70 1-2; sales, 358; receipts, 443; shipments, 1,855; stocks, 15,661.

Rosin firm; sales, 1,799; receipts, 1,796; shipments, 1,660; stocks, 63,483. Quote: B, 5.90 to 6.00; D, 6.15 to 6.30; E, 6.30; F, 6.40; G, 6.40 to 6.45; H, 6.40 to 6.50; I, 6.50 to 6.55; K, 6.60 to 6.65; M, 6.85 to 6.85; N, 6.70 to 6.90; W, G, 6.90 to 7.00; WW, 7.00.

THE DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, Oct. 8.—The cotton goods market continues steady and strong. Fruit of the loom 4-4 and 7-8 bleached sheetings have been sold out and orders will now be taken on value only. Yarns are firmer. Linens rule strong Burlaps are in active demand.

LOW PRICES

Low prices on the following:

100 Barrels Medium Size Mullets.

500 Barrels Belle of Wilmington Fancy Patent Flour.

200 Barrels Eldeed, Fancy Patent Flour.

200 Barrels Table Talk Fancy Patent Flour.

200 Barrels Lone Star, 1-2 Fancy Patent Flour.

2,500 Sacks 100 pound Fine Salt.

500 Sacks 160-pound Coarse Salt

300 Bundles 1-inch Hoop Iron.

50 Cases Walker's Grape Juice.

500 Sacks Rice, all grades.

400 Bales No. 1 Timothy Hay.

1,000 Bales No. 1 Rice Straw.

150 Sacks No. 1 Coffee.

100 Sacks New C. S. Meal.

200 Sacks New C. S. Hulls.

Also a full line of other goods all of which will be sold on a close margin.

J. W. BROOKS

Wholesale Grocer.

Wilmington, N. C.

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THE FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, Oct. 8.—Prime mercantile paper 5 1-2 to 6 per cent. Sterling exchange and bankers' bills at 4.8315 to 4.8330 for 60 day bills and at 4.8630 for demand. Commercials bills 4.82 1-2 to 4.82 7-8. Bar silver 54 1-4. Mexican dollars 45. Money on call nominal; time loans firm but dull, 60 days 4 1-4 per cent., and 90 days 4 5-8 to 4 3-4; six months 4 1-2 to 4 3-4.

THOMAS AT BURGAW.

Third District Congressman Delivers Sledge Hammer Blows.

(By Long Distance Telephone.)

Burgaw, N. C., Oct. 8.—Hon. Chas. R. Thomas, member of Congress from the Third Congressional District, spoke in Burgaw to a large gathering of Democratic citizens of the county here today, beginning at 3 o'clock this afternoon. He made a keynote speech and a fine impression upon his hearers and showed plainly from deep and profound argument that after all the great issue is in the maintenance of Democratic government in North Carolina. I was very much impressed with his entreaty with the people that their differences along any lines should be settled in the primaries, conventions and by State legislation. He discussed National and State issues in a clear and eloquent manner and with his old-time vigor. As usual he made a great impression for the cause of Democracy upon those who heard him.

E. L. LARKINS,
Chr. Dem. County Ex. Com.

Every housewife "in business"—is a buyer of home supplies—and should watch for buying opportunities as closely as though she were buying to sell again.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only Constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

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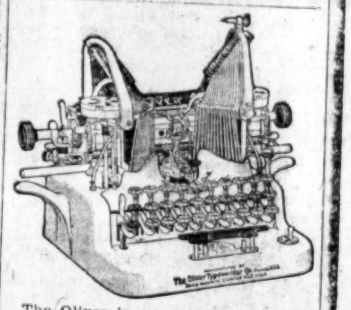

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U. S. Engineer Office, Wilmington, N. C., September 10, 1910. Sealed proposals for dredging in Shallowbeg Bay, South River, Bay River, and waterway connecting Swan Quarter Bay with Deep Bay,

THE WEATHER

U. S. Department of Agriculture Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, N C., Oct. 9, 1910.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending 8 P. M., Saturday, Oct. 8th.

Temperature at 8 A. M., 64 degrees; 8 P.M., 69 degrees; maximum 7.2 degrees; minimum, 64 degrees; mean 68 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .58; for the month .62 inch.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M., Saturday 4.2 feet and rising.

Weather Forecast for North Carolina.

Showers Sunday; Monday fair; moderate variable winds.

Port Calendar Oct. 9.

Sun Rises.....6:13 A. M.
Sun Sets.....5:46 P. M.
Day's Length.....11 hrs. 33 min.
High Water at Southport..11:37 P.M.
High Water at Wilmington.2:37 A.M.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Gaylord's—Millinery.
Madam Eldon—Palmist.
Joyland—Moving Pictures.
Farris Bakery—New Shelled.
Honnet's—Ready For Delivery.
For Sale—Ideal Summer Home.
People's Savings Bank—Be Safe.
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Academy of Music—Sins of the Father.
C. W. Polvogt Co.—Bear Brand Hosiery.
American National Bank—Traveler's Cheques.

Business Locals.

Wanted—Boarders.
S. D. Bryant—Look.
Wright's—For Sale.
Strong Knit—Agents.
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Misses Steljes—Dancing.
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J. O. Reilly—$4,650 Buys.
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The Willson Co.—Wall Paper.
Lighthouse—When He Wears.
J. O. Reilly—Beautiful Home.
Lighthouse—Blessed Are They.
U. S. Calendar Co.—Salesmen.
Young Man—Nay Secure Room.
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Mrs. Sykes—Switches, Puffs, Etc.
German-American Alliance—Meeting.
Lingo Box Co.—Basket Maker Wanted.
California Cider & Ext. Co.—Salesmen.

SITUATION IN PORTUGAL.

Order Partially Restored—Attacks Made Against Clergy.

Lisbon, Oct. 8.—The proclamation of the republic of Portugal is being received by the people generally in a matter-of-fact way. While order has been in a measure restored the fear still prevails that the attacks against the religious establishments may become general. The most marked feature of the situation now is resentment shown by a portion of the populace against the clergy.

Last night Republican troops attacked the Jesuit monastery in the Rua DoQuelhas, after they had been fired upon from the windows. One priest was killed and the others were placed under arrest. The hoisting of the British flag over the building had the effect of checking the fire of the troops.

Armed bands have descended upon the houses of various officials closely affiliated with the monarchy, but the houses were found empty and the property was not damaged. Because of this condition of affairs police measures have been increased and patrolling parties have been sent out to guard against marauders and rioters.

The government has granted amnesty in the case of all political crimes and has revived a former law, increasing the liberty of the press.

A band of revolutionary adherents today sought to enter the college of the Portuguese foreign missions at Leiutra, which also is the residence of the papal muncio, under pretense that arms were hidden there. The nuncio ran up the papal flag and refused to allow the men to enter the building. The mayor persuaded the insurgents from making an attack, but finally the nuncio consented to admit a small number. They left, after a fruitless search.

The government is making strong efforts to calm the anti-clerical agitation. The minister of the interior has been touring the streets in an automobile dispersing manifestants. Priests are set upon wherever seen. A few of the churches, having priests recognized by the government, have opened their doors.

An armed band today entered Trinas convent which was occupied by 150 Portuguese sisters of charity, some of whom resisted. A dozen of the sisters were wounded. Later the troops occupined the convent.

The wounded sisters were transferred to a hospital. The others were taken away in closed vans, their destination being unknown.

Gibraltar, Oct. 8.—It is reported that the royal yacht Amelie will return to Lisbon tomorrow. King Manuel, the Queen Mother Amelie, the Dowager Queen and the Duke of Oporto, however, will remain as the guests of the government at the governor's cottage at Europa Point.

An Italian warship is expected to arrive here at an early date to take the dowager queen Maria Pia and the Infante Affonso to Italy.

CONSERVATION IDEAS.

Two Important Demands Made by Congress in Atlanta.

Atlanta, Ga., October 8.—Two fundamental ideas were set forth in the resolutions adopted by the Southern Conservation Congress, which adjourned late today after a two days' session. These ideas were:

State and Federal co-operation toward conservation.

Conservation of men, women and children and their happiness, as well as conservation of material resources.

The resolutions urge fuller realization by States of their responsibilities in guarding the interests and rights of their citizens.

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"No portion of our country is going to show a greater rate of development than the South will show in the course of the next 30 or 40 years. I ask you to see that this marvellous development in the South takes place in such fashion that it wil represent not a mere exploitation of territory, not a mere feverish growth in wealth, luxury or a honeycombed foundation of morality and good judgment, but that it will represent a solid and an abiding prosperity."

Talks About Tariff.

Theodore Roosevelt tonight disclaimed any responsibility for the tariff plank in the New York State Republican platform. In doing so he replied to criticisms which have been directed against him, particularly by some of the so-called "insurgent" Republicans in the West, to the effect that he talked one kind of politics in the West, and another kind in the East.

This criticism was based largely on the fact that while he did not endorse the Payne Tariff law in any of his Western speeches, the tariff plank of the New York Republican platform commended the bill. Colonel Roosevelt made it clear in his speech tonight that he had not endorsed the Payne law, and that he did not agree with the New York tariff plank. He said that he would stand on speeches as temporary chairman of the New York Republican Convention, in which he commended parts of the Payne law, but did not endorse it as a whole.

Colonel Roosevelt's speech was delivered at the Uncle Remus Day Celebration here. He began his address with an appreciation of the life and works of Joel Chandler Harris, author of the Uncle Remus talks. Then he turned to his recently enunciated doctrine of the new nationalism.

AFFAIRS AT RALEIGH.

County Fairs Successful—Charters Issued—Circus Rebate—Lights.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 8.—Major W. A. Graham, commissioner of agriculture, just back from a visit to the Winston-Salem Fair, says the Twin City has held this year by odds the biggest and most successful fair they have ever held. The exhibits were exceptionally extensive and creditable, the special features excellent and the crowds immense. He also stopped by the Alamance county fair at Burlington and says he found this to be quite creditable.

The Progress Publishing Co., of Gastonia, received a charter today with $50,000 capital authorized and $2,000 subscribed by C. A. Erry and others. Another charter granted today was for the Stem Supply Co., of Stem, Granville county, capital $15,000, J. E. Duncan and others for a merchantile business.

The Raleigh aldermen have granted a $100 rebate to the Ringling Bros. Circus on the license tax paid for showing here on Saturday of State Fair week. This is in consideration of the circus people having agreed to change date from Thursday to Saturday, thereby incurring expense of rebilling the territory for the change of date.

Hereafter Raleigh is to have her "Great White Way"—Fayetteville street from Davie to the Capitol Square, lighted every Saturday night. This will be at the expense of the city. The Merchants' Association had the equipment put up and has heretofore borne the expense of $10 per night whenever the lights have been turned on. The Aldermen now assume this expense for each Saturday night. In addition the lights will be on each night of State Fair Week.

Governor Kitchin now has under consideration the evidence against Wiley Black, the Asheville man sentenced to the roads for maintaining a disorderly place in Asheville and pardoned conditionally a few months ago by Governor with the result that the conditions of the pardon are charged to have been violated in that he has again had to do with the sale of whiskey. The Governor heard pleas today by Hon. H. B. Carter and J. F. Stiles as counsel for Black.

NEGRO TERRIFIED FARMERS.

Angry Citizens at Pelham, N. C., Hunted Him Down and Killed Him.

Danville, Va., Oct. 8.—Charged with having committed numerous robberies which for the past ten days have terrified the farmers residing in the neighborhood around Pelham and Ruffin, N. C., ten miles south of here, an unknown negro was shot to death in a barn late this afternoon, when he refused to surrender. The killing followed an all-day search participated in by at least 50 angry citizens.

The dead negro has been loitering in the vicinity for about a week and it has been the general belief that he had entered a number of dwelling houses. Four houses at Ruffin were robbed last night and early today.

The negro killed today carried two loaded pistols and wore several articles of clothing identified as stolen property. The body was taken to Reidsville, N. C., and so far no coroner's inquest has been called.

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$138,000.00 North Carolina Bonds.
$35,000.00 School Bonds.
$20,000.00 R. Road Bonds.

SOUTHERN NATIONAL BANK

oct. 7-tf.

SATURDAY GAMES ON THE GRIDIRON

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Only three penalties were inflicted during the game.

Yale and Holy Cross.

New Haven, Conn., Oct. 8.—Yale had to extend itself to beat Holy Cross 12 to 0 this afternoon. It was the best game under the existing rules here. Both teams used the forward pass frequently and successfully. Yale's touchdowns were made by a fake play by Corey through center, and by Deming against the line.

Crimson Won the Game.

Cambridge, Mass., Oct. 8.—Harvard was far too strong for Williams today, and won 21 to 0. The Crimson made three touchdowns, from which goals were kicked and added three points by a pretty field goal. Penalties were few and injuries slight. Williams was never nearer Harvard's goal than the 40-yard line.

Princeton Defeats New York.

Princeton, N. J., Oct. 8.—Princeton defeated New York University here today by the score 12 to 0, but the New Yorkers using the forward pass its chief weapon of offense New York University played Princeton to a standstill in the last half of an exciting game. The 12 points scored in the first half by Princeton saved it the game.

Virginia Took Easy Victory.

Charlottesville, Va., Oct. 8.—University of Virginia defeated Roanoke College 21 to 0 today. The gridiron was a quagmire and there was much fumbling. The visitors were unable to make first down once. Goodhouse line plunging netted touchdowns in the second and third quarters, while McGuire crossed Roanoke's goal line twice in the final quarter. Line-up:

Virginia		Roanoke
Hewitt (wilson)	RE	Andrews
Geyer	RT	Miley
Towles	RG	Nease
Wood	C	Giesen
Pankry	LG	Hollingsworth
Varner (Wellford)	LT	Scholz
Bowen	LE	Johnson
Honaker (Berkeley)	QB	Anderson
Todd (Curry)	RHB	Bowen
Thornhill (Ashby)	LHB	Galloway (Mayhew
Goodhue (Maguire)	FB	Price

Touchdowns, Goodhue 2, McGuire 2; goals from touchdowns Todd; referee Elliott; umpire, Cecil; head linesman, Driver; time of quarters, eight minutes.

Other Games.

At Exeter: Pennsylvania, freshmen 6; Phillips-Exeter 0.

At Ann Arbor: Michigan 3; Case 3.

At Wilkesbarre: Carlisle Indians 39; Bucknell 0.

At Marshallfield: Chicago 0; Indiana 6.

At Syracuse 6; Rochester 0.

At Burlington: Vermont 0; Maine 0.

At Middletown, Conn.: Amherst 3; Wesleyan 0.

At Durham: New Hampshire 0; Bowdoin 23.

At Williamsburg: William and Mary 5; Norfolk High School 5.

At Atlanta: Georgia Techs 18; Chattanooga 0.

At Athens: Georgia 79; Gordon Institute 0.

At Asheville: Bingham 35; Lenoir 0.

At Macon: Mercer 22; Georgia 0.

At Austin: Texas 11; Southwestern University 6.

At Birmingham: Clemson 24; Howard 0.

At Auburn, Ala.: Mississippi A. & M. 0; Auburn 6.

At St. Louis: Washington University 5; Shurtleff 12.

At Lexington, Va.: V. M. I. 0; Norfolk Blues 0.

HUXLEY MADE AERO RECORD.

HUXLEY MADE AIR RECORD.

Goes From Springfield to St. Louis, Distance of 86 Miles.

Aviation Feld, St. Louis, October 8.—Arch Hexley today broke the American record for sustained aeroplane flights. He started from Springfield at 11:55 o'clock this morning and landed safely here this afternoon at 3:27. The distance between Springfield and St. Louis is 86 miles, but because of the circuitous route he traveled, Hexley flew 104 miles and made it without a stop.

The spectators on the field saw Hexley at 2:15, the aviator, apparently trying to find the field, circled while 1,000 feet in the air to the south of the grounds. After trying in vain to locate his objective point he landed at the Country Club five miles from the field. Including the flight from the club to the field, he covered 109 miles.

Cincinnati, O., Oct. 8.—Conditions for the baseball games for the championship of Manhattan between New York National and American League teams were anuounced by the National Commission today. The first game will take place on October 13th at the Polo grounds, the second at the American League park on October 14th, and thereafter alternate between the two parks, starting at 2 P. M.

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TWO SALESMEN to sell soft drinks and cigars to country trade in North Carolina, $40.00 weekly and expenses. Los Angeles Co., Atlanta, Ga. oct. 9-1t.*

THE BEAUTY SHOP is offering special prices in beautifying, shampooing, massage, bleaching, dyeing our specialties. Scalp treatment, 404 North Seventh street. 'Phone 1543. oct. 9-1t.

ANNUAL MEETING of North Carolina branch German-American National Alliance, Monday, October 10th, 8 P. M., at Howard Relief Hall. All members are requested to attend. J. G. L. Gieschen, secretary. oct. 9-1t.*

SIDE LINE TRAVELING salesmen make $30 to $50 weekly, handling our latest production of advertising fans. Liberal terms. Apply at once. United States Calendar Co., Cincinnati. oct. 9-1t.*

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TAILORING—A large line of fashionable Fall and Winter suitings and trouserings on exhibition at Leger Meyer's Merchant Tailoring at modest prices. Smith Building, second floor. oct. 9-1mo.

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WANTED—A man that understands making the little diamond split baskets, commonly known as the little 5 cent market baskets. Lingo Box Co., City. oct. 9-1t.*

FOR RENT—Large furnished bed room. Electric lighted, use of bath and 'phone. For particulars, call 'phone 702. oct. 9-1t.*

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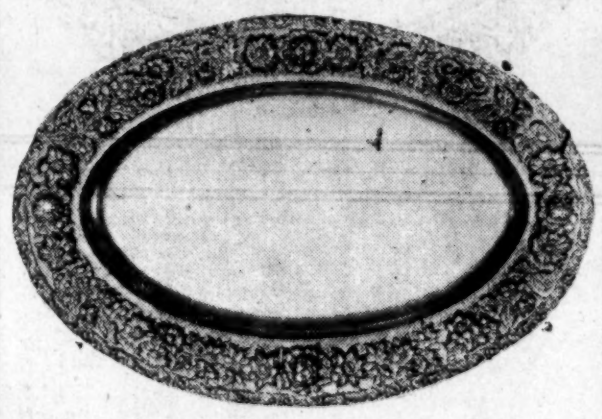

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A Wonderful Civilizing Agency

GOOD ROADS, RURAL DELIVERY OF MAIL AND THE RURAL TELEPHONE.

IMPORTANT FACTORS, THESE

In the General Uplifting of the Rural Community—This Peculiar Section of Eastern Carolina In the Future.

It is not in a spirit of egotism that the people of New Hanover, Brunswick, Columbus and Pender counties, point with pride to the achievements of their grandparents, as their place in history is too well known by all people of the commonwealth.

It was at Brunswick, about eight miles below Town Creek, that the people of the lower Cape Fear successfully resisted an attack of Spanish pirates in 1748. It was also at this point that in the Winter of 1765-66 the only armed resistance to British authority by Americans prior to the Revolution was made by Cape Fear men, when the Stamp Act was sought to be enforced.

In 1774 and 1775 the proceedings of the Safety Committee at Wilmington surpassed those of any other locality in boldness and efficiency, and "set the pace" for the Revolution.

The only two men in North Carolina who were excepted from the offer of pardon by the British commander, were from New Hanover and Brunswick counties.

The first overwhelming victory of the Revolution was won at the battle of Moore's Creek bridge, 18 miles above Wilmington on the 27th of February, 1776, a victory that saved both North and South Carolina from conquest by the British.

In every period since its first settlement the lower Cape Fear country has furnished able leaders in both military and civil life, to the State and the country, and the race is not extinct, as evidence by the lead the merchants and farmers of this section take in the commercial life of the State.

As further evidence of the progressiveness of the descendants of the leaders of Revolutionary times, it is only necessary to consider the elements which have combined to produce this satisfactory situation.

Education and religion, "the twin lamps of the soul," were, from the earliest days, carefully fostered, and today we point with pride to the long list of stalwart educators, preachers and jurists, renowned not only throughout our State, but in the country at large, the product of our institutions.

Appropriations for the common schools have always been liberally made and 316 school houses, with a property valuation of $218,788, and with their long terms and comprehensive courses, are among the counties' proudest exhibits.

The number and size of the country churches, everywhere well attended and supported, testify to the fixed belief of the citizenship in those principals which underlie all civilization and development.

As the outcome of the civilization resulting from the church and the school, came the knowledge that further development must wait upon better means of communication and transportation, and the excellent shell and dirt roads throughout the length and breadth of our counties testify to the depth and fixity of this belief.

Of Good Roads 50 Miles.

From seed time to harvest every minute counts with the farmer. Telephone service enables him to handle details at a distance without loss of time.

It is very satisfactory, but not surprising, to know that in no other counties are there such highways as in New Hanover and the miles of such solidly built avenues of commerce, which are being extended at the rate of from five to ten miles each year, indicate that all sections of the county are equally well provided for

The building of the cities and towns is but the natural result of the closer touch between the consumer and the merchant, and the rapid growth of Wilmington and neighboring towns bespeak the developing and commercial value of such highways.

The greatest tangible result of the good roads, however, is the effect which accessibility to centers of population has on the value of farm lands and today land in New Hanover, Brunswick, Columbus and Pender counties, which in other less favored sections would command not more than $15 an acre, is readily sought upon the market at $100 an acre.

A minute's time saved at the outbreak of a fire may mean the saving of property. The telephone brings prompt aid.

Rural Mails.

Perhaps, second only to good roads, as a factor in the development of the rural districts, and to a very large extent made possible by them, is the rural mail service which is daily increasing in volume of business and in importance in the life of the country. So great is the appreciation of this convenient means of communication that as early as 1904 there were over 200 mail boxes on the rural free delivery routes out of Wilmington alone and a corresponding number on routes out of all of the other postal centers in the four counties.

Rural Telephone.

A third great agency in rural development and one which has not come into as general use in this section, as in some others, is the rural or farmers' line telephone, the very general use of which is of comparatively recent date.

Perhaps the greatest objection ever urged against country life is its isolation, with its terrible depressing effect upon the mind. It is a well known fact that by far the largest percentage of any class of patients in hospitals for the insane are farmers' wives, which is now known to be attributable to their lack of social life on the farm. An eminent French physician discovered the effect which isolation had upon some of his patients suffering from forms of patients so that social intercourse with family and friends was possible.

The sickness or injury of a valuable animal on the farm demands prompt remedies. In such emergencies the telephone is indispensable.

The immediate effect of this was noted upon the mental condition of the individual and cures hastened in consequence, so that now the "telephone cure", as he terms it, is one of his regsickness and disease, requiring long confinement in hospitals, to overcome which he tried the experiment of placing a telephone at the bedside of the ular courses of treatment in certain cases.

Rural Telephones a Boon to the Women.

The city woman's privilege of "running over to Mrs. So-and-So's for a moment" to discuss household matters is denied in the country on account of the distance between the houses, but the telephone affords just the personal touch in domestic, church and social affairs so essential to the women and young folks.

The apprehension and dread of the midnight marauder is to a large measure dispelled by this useful agent and in a large degree protection is afforded.

Much of the work on the farm is based on the co-operation of neighbors, and corn shuckings, meetings of road commissioners, school trustees, etc., are easily arranged by telephone while in case of the more serious matter of a fire on the farm it quickly summons the willing hands of the neighbors.

The anxiety and apprehension of the city mother just starting her little ones off to school are in a large measure relieved by the knowledge of the efficient police force always on duty, and here the farmers' telephone plays the real part in tracing little children's lagging steps along the road past the neighbor's houses until they reach the protection of the school house.

Access to the Doctor.

In no way is the pathos of rural life more strongly emphasized than in accidents and sickness and many are the cases where, because of inability to summon medical assistance or the delay in the arrival of the doctor most disastrous results have followed and in none of its functions is the farmer's telephone a greater source of comfort and real help than in those cases.

The day when the farmer was at the mercy of the merchant or factory is past, and, with any other business man, he enters the market, knowing, in advance, the current prices for his commodities and ascertaining just when to make the trade, delivering his goods, like any other producer, after the trade is consummated, and instead of the long drive to town, with a heavy load, to learn that the market is glutted or that there is no immediate demand for his produce, he knows both the demand and the prices before he leaves home.

The progressive farmer no longer takes useless trips to market. His telephone keeps him posted on market conditions.

The farmer who has telephone service doesn't have to travel to market in rainy weather. He can stay at home and telephone.

In case of sickness, accident or emergencies the telephone brings prompt assistance to the farmer, after saving life and property.

When farm implements and machinery break down, quick repairs are brought by use of the telephone.

The county of Union is leading the State in the number of rural telephones in use, there being several rural systems with a total of approximately 2,000 subscribers, not including those in the towns. The combined number in New Hanover, Brunswick, Columbus and Pender is much smaller than this and it is believed to be the interest not only of the farmer, but also of the merchants in Wilmington and the towns of the counties to increase the number of local systems and of local telephones.

The Star believes that, along with good road improvements, there is nothing that would tend to the upbuilding of the county more than the extension of its rural telephone systems. It is a matter of importance to both the county and the city. In some sections meetings have been held with the object of getting every white man in the county to put a telephone in his residence through the organization and construction of rural telephone systems. Meetings similar to this in the counties above mentioned should have great results.

Just at this time the Southern Bell Telephone and Telegragh Co., is inaugurating a canvass for Farmers' Line subscribers and it would be well for all those interested in the securing of telephones on the farm to communicate with the manager of the Telephone Company at Wilmington. The plan by which the Bell Company expects to put a telephone in every farm house is a most excellent one, making, as it does, every farmer of moderate circumstance to provide himself with a telephone, and the commercial organizations of the city of Wilmington should unhesitatingly endorse it. Judging from the lead our people have taken on other matters, it is safe to predict that within twelve months from this date there will be 1,000 people living in the rural districts, who will have telephone connection with Wilmington.

TRAINING SCHOOL.

Convict in Louisiana Penitentiary Learns How to Use Instruments.

Baton Rouge, La., Oct. 7.—Members of the prison control board are now endeavoring to ascertain the sources of 'liberal criminal education," which an inmate of the Grant parish penitentiary claims that he obtained while a prisoner there. In applying for a pardon the latter alleges that he learnwhile in the penitentiary the theory of robbing trains, the use of dynamite, the operation of burglar tools and the passing of forged checks. He leaves the inference that he would be subjected to a much better influence on the outside of the penitentiary.

URGED FOR CHIEF JUSTICE.

Illinois State's Attorneys Send Judge A. K. Vickers' Name to Mr. Taft.

Springfield, Ill., Oct. 7.—Judge Alonzo K. Vickers, of East St. Louis, chief justice of the Illinois supreme court, was today endorsed for the vacancy in the Supreme Court of the United States caused by the death of Chief Justice Melville Fuller, by the State's Attorneys' Association of Illinois.

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CAROLINA'S TREASURE BELT.

Marvelous Resources and Unlimited Possibilities of Favored Section of Old North State—Some Drainage Needs.

We have often wondered whether or not it will become absolutely necessary to burn red lights and fire artillery from Currituck to Cherokee and from Ashe to Brunswick, in order to arouse the people of North Carolina to a full appreciation of the marvelous resources and unlimited possibilities of their State.

They are in the midst of a region unsurpassed anywnere on the globe in variety of climate, from the subtropical in Southeastern North Carolina, varying into the high lands, into the Piedmont and into the Appalachians to such divergent extent that it is said upon good authority that North Carolina has every varying climate prevailing in the land of the Palmetto, the fan palm and the long leaf pine, to the Appalachian altitudes where flourish the white pine, and the spruce and the fir tree. In fact, we have all the different climates to be found in every part of this country from the sub-tropics to Maine. This will be recognized as quite possible when we take into consideration the low regions on the Atlantic coast and the mountain regions in which there are the loftiest mountain peaks to be found east of the Mississippi river.

No State in the United States possesses such a diversity of soils as are to be found in North Carolina, from the rice growing region in tidal Carolina to the buckwheat producing country in the "Land of the Sky." From the tidal waters of the majestic Cape Fear to the limpid and tumbling waters of the romantic Swannanoa, the varying soils produce a greater variety of field crops, vegetables and fruits than any portion of the habitable globe. The same can be said of the great variety of timbers, while the mineral resources of the State, untouched and unknown, embrace all the precious metals, minerals and gems, with one exception, known to mineralogists and chrystologists. The State is diversified with savannah, with hill and dale, and with a mountain region the grandeur and picturesquesness of which is scarcely equalled on the American continent.

In the midst of an unsurpassable climate, amazing diversity of soil, and lands of great fertility, productiveness and adaptibility to an infinite variety of products, it can be asserted beyond the peradventure of doubt that agriculture, horticulture, and fruitgrowing are among the greatest possibilities of a State so provid tially blessed as North Carolina. Leaving aside the unrivalled possibilities for manufacturing enterprises, which can derive power from the vast waterpower resources of the State, we should say that the most conspicious opportunities for the immensest wealth are contained in North Carlina's climate and soil—the combination of ideal conditions for all branches of agriculture, stock raising, horticulture, fruit-growing and vinyarding.

Probably, nothing, outside the progress of scientific farming, will so enlarge our possibilities in this direction as scientific and economical drainage. We look upon the drainage problem as one of the greatest and most important features of the development of this State, especially the eastern and coastal regions embracing about 3,000,000 acres of swamp lands of a quality unsurpassed in the richest portions of the United States. The drainage problem has been accentuated in a most practical way within the past four years, since the reorganization of the North Carolina Geological Survey by the Legislature of 1905, at which time the geological board authorized Dr. Joseph Hyde Pratt, the State Geologist, to begin investigations regarding the value of swamp lands for agriculture and the feasibility of draining the swamp lands of the eastern region and the overflowed lands of practically every portion of the State. The appropriaton available for that work was limited and necessarily it had to be undertaken cautiously. and caried on slowly. However, Dr. Pratt with the limited resources, at his command has accomplished wonders in this respect, besides his great achievements in every line embraced within that exceedingly important department of our State Government.

Dr. Pratt has brought to bear upon this work an intens interest and great energy hardly less effective that the fine intelligence, marked ability and well directed efforts displayed by him in a work which has wide scope to it, involving many onerous and discouraging features and responsibilities. Nevertheless, his portion of the work in behalf of the development of North Carolina has resulted in pronounced achievements, and during the four years since the reorganization of the Geological Survey, his work and the magnitude of its results has demonstrated the wisdom of the General Assembly in widening the scope of his work and in some measure providing for more eective application in the development of North Carolina's physical and natural resources. It would be difficult to follow up the work of the State Geologist in the various lines of his activity, one of the most conspicious being good roads construction, but we have seen enough of what has been accomplished through the tireless energy of that well equipped State official to say that North Carolina owes him a vote of thanks for achievements of incalculable economic and practical value in the progressive development of the State.

In the matter of drainage, much has been accomplished within the past year or two. The work in that direction has inaugurated a new era for eastern North Carolina, where there are millions of acres of swamp and overflowed lands involving immense wealth in their acquisition to the agricultural resources of the State. Dr. Pratt's necessariiy hasty and circumscribed survey warrants him in making the statement that of the 3,000,000 acres of swamp lands in the State at least 1,000,000 acres are of sufficient agricultural value to warrant their being drained. At the last session of the General Assembly of North Carolina a drainage law was passed and within the period since its adoption about twenty drainage districts have been organized, contemplating the reclamation of more than 300,000 acres of marvelousiy fertile lands. Practical results of great magnitude have been obtained from drained lands and it has been fully demonstrated that scientific

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drainage is a tremendous investment. Statistics show that from 40 acres of gum swamp reclaimed under the drainage law there have been immense profits from corn, cotton, cow peas, Irish potatoes and other crops, on an investment of $691.20, embracing the original value of the lands, cost of drainage, interest on drainage bonds, and cost of fertilization and production. The profits in five years on that 40-acre farm have been $5,103.38 in the production of corn and cow pea hay.

Another demonstration on forty acres of open marsh or pocosin land reclaimed, resulted in a net profit in five years, on an outlay of only $588, amounted to $4,787.80, the result of cultivation of corn and cow peas. Another example of forty acres of poorly drained land, scientifically drained and cultivated in cotton, corn, cow peas and Irish potatoes, alternating, representing a land and drainage investment of $1,500, yielded in five years a net profit of $10,678.14. This latter example shows that the average actual yield in net value of products was annually between forty and fifty per cent. more than the original value of the land and cost of drainage. The other incidents mentioned show a net profit annually doubling, or more than doubling, the original value of the lands and cost of drainage.

In the last demonstration referred to we see that the net profits in five years are more than seven times greater than the original value of the land and the cost of drainage combined, so that the value of the improved land at the end of five years, figured on an investment basis of 7 per cent, would be about $30,000. The real value of the land prior to drainage was estimated at the fair value of $25 per acre, or $1,000 for the 40 acres, compared with an ultimate resultant value of $30,000 in five years. This means that the actual value of the land increased 30 times more than its original value and that the $30,000 valuation is producing a net profit of seven per cent. annually on that amount, or nearly one hundred and fifty per cent. annually on the first outlay. This shows the possibilities of increased land values after drainage had made otherwise worthless lands productive of immensely valuable crops.

Figuring a little further we find 40 acres of land earning about seven per cent. on a valuation of $30,000, which would mean a value per acre of $750. These figures look big, but they are taken from the printed examples of demonstrations made on 40-acre tracts, with the cost of drainage and production figured item by item. If the million acres, which Dr. Pratt declares is susceptible of reclamation, would produce net profits of $50 per acre a year, the reclaimed lands would foot up the enormous net productive value of $50,000,000 every year. However, if net profits were even less it would show that eastern North Carolina's million acres of drained land would be worth more than any gold region on the face of the earth. The most conservative estimate outside the figures shown as the result of intensive farming, easily demonstrate that drainage would add at least $100,000,000 to land values in North Carolina, not to mention the millions of dollars in crop values every year. This is one of the possibilities of eastern North Carolina as demonstrated under scientific drainage.

The figures and estimates which we have used in this article are taken from the printed proceedings of the second annual drainage convention held at Newbern last November, so we are speaking from authority. A drainage convention is now held every year under the auspices of the North Carolina Drainage Association, which was organized in 1908. The drainage association and its conventions are demonstarting, at the very beginning, that eastern North Carolina possibilities and opportunities are on a scale of such magnitude that it is hardly creditable.

The entire State of North Carolina is a huge possibility in opportunities so varied that it would be tiresome to recount them. This is a great undeveloped State and the greatest of opportunities lie where there is need of development. The wide field for development in North Carolina may be partially conceived when it is stated that out of the 31,000,000 acres of land in the State there were in 1900 but 8,000,000 of improved farms. Why hunt for unexplored regions for opportunities and wealth when in the midst of civilization we have in North Carolina opportunities, for capital and labor, of far greater magnitude than can be found if the world were searched over from one end of it to the other?

We are not speaking extravagantly, for Mr. J. O. Wright, supervising drainage engineer of the United States Department of Agriculture, in an address at the drainage convention held at Newbern last November, declared that if North Carolina swamp lands are thoroughly drained and properly cultivated, "they alone could be made to produce a crop of corn equal to ten per cent. of all the corn grown in the United States." As a matter of course, he urged drainage and reclamation of these unequalled lands, and declared that "good corn land today, whether in Iowa, Illinois or North Carolina, is worth upwards of $100 per acre," so that, according to his estimate, Dr. Pratt's 1,000,000 acres of drained swamp lands would possess a value of $100,000,000. The figures stagger us, but North Carolina has the goods, according to Pratt and Wright. Mr. Wright, in his address referring to North Carolina swamp lands, declared that, "the fertility of this vast area is unsurpassed," and that "enough has been reclaimed and put in cultivation to demonstrate that it is pre-eminently a corn soil."

We always had confidence in North Carolina's resources and possibilities, but as we might be considered extravagant in pointing out vast fields of opportunities in North Carolina, we simply quote here what the supervising drainage engineer of the United States Department of Agriculture said at the North Carolina drainage convention last year, to-wit: "The greatest yield of corn ever produced on an acre of land was grown in the Carolinas. God has provided the soil, the rain and the sunshine, and if man were to do his part there could be established here (in eastern North Carolina) a corn belt that would surpass the richest parts of Indiana or Illinois."

The North Carolina Drainage Association is destined to be a tremendous factor in the development of this great field of North Carolina fertility. The Hon. J. A. Brown, of Chadbourn, is president of the association and the next convention will be held at Wilmington about the middle of November. Every county in North Carolina interested in drainage and concerned in the greatest movement in North Carolina, should prepare at once to send delegates to the Wilmington convention, which is to be the third of the kind to be held in the State.

INDUSTRIALISM IN SOUTH

Textile Equipment and Enlargement for First Nine Months of Year. Other New Enterprises Announced This Week.

Baltimore, Oct. 7.—In the first nine months of the year, according to figures in this week's issue of the Manufacturers' Record, plans have been made for an increase of 301,396 spindles and 8,174 looms in the textile mill equipment of the South. In the quarter just ended details have been announced for seven new mill enterprises and for the enlargement of five plants. The new plants will have 60,000 spindles and 1,120 looms, while the enlargements represent 15,000 spindles and 230 looms, all plans of the quarter looking to a total investment of $1,875,000.

Among the Southern industrial and other developmental enterprises reported in this week's issue are the following:

Foster Falls Company, Foster Falls, Va., was incorporated with $100,000 capital stock to build a water power electrical plant for transmitting electricity to operate mining plants of the Virginia Iron, Coal & Coke Company, of Bristol, Tenn., 3,000 to 4,000 horsepower contemplated.

Brown-Fowlkes Coal Company, Birmingham, Ala., was incorporated with $150,000 capital stock to develop coal lands.

Rockwell Smokeless Coal & Coke Co., Glen Jean, W. Va., was incorporated with $200,000 capital stock to mine coal.

Harlan Coal & Lumber Co., Elkins, W. Va., was incorporated with $200,000 capital stock to develop coal and timber lands.

Vance Guano Co., Henderson, N. C., was incorporated with $100,000 capital stock and awarded contracts for factory buildings and machinery.

Tennessee Chemical Co., Nashville, Tenn., will build a $30,000 fertilizer plant at Selma, Ala.

Texarkana Clay Products Co., Texarkana, Ark., is being organized with $100,000 capital stock to build a plant for manufacturing bricks, pottery, etc.

Hall & Legan Lumber Co., Morton, Miss., was incorporated with $200,000 capital stock.

W. T. Carter & Bro., Houston, Tex., are about to award contract for steel and concrete buildings to be erected at Camden, and equipped with machinery for a large output of lumber.

J. L. Morris, Tampa, Fla., is organizing a company with $50,000 capital stock to manufacture clocks.

Corinth Chair Co., Corinth, Miss., will increase capital stock from $50,000 to $100,000 and build a large factory at North Mobile, Ala.

The Alabama Fuel & Iron Co., of Birmingham, Ala., has leased 1,500 acres of coal land which it is developing at an outlay of $150,000.

American Onyx Co., Indianapolis, Ind., will develop 550 acres of land at Cave City, Ky., containing onyx deposits; company was recently incorporated with $50,000 capital stock.

Texas Glass Company, Texarkana, Ark.-Tex., was incorporated with $100,000 capital stock and has its plant under construction; plant will cost $75,000 and have a daily output of 2,500 square feet of human blown window glass.

Arcade Cotton Mills, Rock Hill, S. C., increased capital stock from $200,000 to $360,000 to redeem bonds and add new machinery.

Specialty Manufacturing Co., Melrose, Mass., is considering the establishment of a Southern plant for manufacturing chair beds and couch beds.

Ariton Fertilizer Co., Ariton, Ala., was organized to establish a 125-ton fertilizer factory.

National Fireproofing Company, Pittsburg, Pa., is said to be contemplating the construction of a $10,000 plant and warehouse at Houston, Tex.

Santa Fe Dock & Channel Co., Port Bolivar, Tex., was incorporated with $50,000 capital stock.

The principal building announcements of the week included the following: Tampa Union Station Co., Tampa, Fla., is inviting bids for the construction of a station to cost probobly $150,000; Union National Bank, Houston, Tex., has plans for the construction of its proposed 12-story office building to cost $500,000; Chittenden County Commissioners, Marion, Ark., are having plans prepared for constructing a court house and jail to cost $100,000; Saint Joseph's Catholic Church, Dallas, Tex., will expend about $25,000 for building its proposed edifice, for which contract was awarded recently; Chesapeake & Ohio Railway, Richmond, Va., awarded contract for the construction of a $50,000 freight depot at Charlottesville; Mater Dolorosa Church, New Orleans, La., is planning to build a $30,000 school; Dramatic Stock Co., West Palm Beach, Fla., has plans for building a $20,000 theatre; Whitted & Paschall, Henderson, N. C., will build a $25,000 hotel; New Orleans, Mobile & Chicago Railroad, Mobile, Ala., has plans for building a $50,000 station.

SANITARY MATTERS.

Rev. J. R. Marshall Writes His Views On the Question.

Editor Morning Star:—I have about made up my mind not to say anything more on the Sanitary question, but I have had so many ridiculous questions and propositions put to me on the subject, that I feel that I would not be justifiable in not defining my position. A good many people have congratulated me on the articles I have written, saying the Trinity plant is just the thing we need, etc., but nearly every one had a but to follow his approval. One says, "your articles were on the right track, but what is the use for you, or me to offer any proposition? We have no money, hence we have no influence. If your articles had been written by a millionaire they would have been heralded over the United States ere this, and many municipalities would have been underway building plants." If this proposition is true, it is certainly a bad state of affairs.

If it is true the city father will stop to consider the source of a proposition, rather than its merits, I fear there will be but few considered, or rather accepted. For I am persuaded, that nearly all very important subjects have been advanced by men of limited means and small influence. Elias Howe, who moved the eyes of the needle to its point; Singer, who adjusted tension; Franklin, who harnessed lightning, and Newton, who gave the telescope, I am told were only ordinary, laboring men, in their early lives.

When a dish of frog legs, which are prized so highly by men of money and brains, is placed before me, I don't stop to consider that they came from a dirty, filthy, slimy, frog pond, and were captured by some old dirty, ragged negro; but I go to work at once, and devour them with relish. When a half dozen oysters, that most delicious bivalve, is placed before me on the half shell, I don't stop to consider that they were taken from a dirty mud hole, etc.

When I read of the good deeds of some of our greatest Presidents and noblest statesment, I don't stop to consider that they sprang from almost total obscurity.

Another says: "well sir, I read your pieces in the Star on the Sanitary question with much interest, but I judge from their tenor that you are opposed to our sewerage system?" No sir, not a bit of it, you are entirely mistaken. I am highly in favor of it. I am in favor of all internal improvements, for the uplift and benefit of humanity.

I voted for the sewerage, waterworks and street improvement bond issue, and would vote for them again if called upon to do so. I am in favor of a larger and better sewerage system, and larger and deeper catch basins, where the filth may be deposited and taken out by the city carts, together with the trash, litter, old papers, dead dogs, cats, chickens and other refuse, and carried to my trinity plant and burned. Let all the filth go up together in smoke, that it may come down again in a few days in showers of blessings—rain, upon the heads of a grateful people.

Another says: "I read your articles on Sanitation in the Morning Star, and was very much interested in them, but your plan won't work. Why it would take a cord of wood a day to burn all the refuse of this city." Well, suppose it should take a cord, or even two, or three, or more, should that stand in the way of the life and health and happiness of our citizens? Five cords of wood per day would not cost over $5,000 a year, which is not a drop in the bucket, against the consideration of its healthful results. But, then, this cost may be eliminated. Suppose a trinity plant be built at, or near one of the saw mills on the river, where it could be run by the power generated for the saw mill. There are thousands of loads of sawdust and waste lumber that could be used to run such a plant at a nominal cost. Now, if my thoughts and suggestions are worth anything to humanity, I hope they will be considered by those who are able to act, and will act for the good of all the people. I am not looking for eulogies for what I say or do, but I would be glad for our posterity—the rising generations to be benefitted.

I hope to live to see a waterworks plant that will bring pure, unadulterated water into our homes—a larger and better sewerage system, and a trinity plant installed in our lovely little city by the sea.

Respectfully,
J. R. MARSHALL.

RECEIVING AND PAYING.

Address Before Clearing House Section of American Bankers.

Los Angeles, Cal., Oct. 6.—A system of uniting the work of receiving and paying tellers was described by Stoddard Jess, vice president of the First National Bank of Los Angeles, in an address before the clearing house section of the American Bankers' Association here today. Mr. Jess said:

"The problem of how to arrange and care for 15,000 checking accounts, on the books of the First National Bank of Los Angeles, in a manner to give as satisfactory service to the depositors as does the bank with a smaller number of accounts, was forced to the attenton of the management of the bank on taking over the business of two other National banks some five years ago.

"It was realized that to attempt to divide the business of the bank among a number of separate paying and receiving tellers, in accordance with the usual custom followed in commercial banks—say three paying and five receiving tellers, even though the depositors of the bank were divided alphabetically and assigned to the different tellers, would prove unsatisfactory, for the reason that each paying teller would be obliged to serve 5,000 depositors—a number entirely too large for any teller to know personally.

"Feeling that the proper and only solution of the problem of handling anything too large to be handled as an entirety, was to cut it up, to subdivide it nto parts or unts, and recognizing the successful application of this principle in the organization of the modern department store, which is nothing more than an aggregation of small stores, and up to a certain point under separate control and management, the thought that confronted us by dividing the bank up into a number of small banks, in alpnabetical subdvisions, each to have its own cli-entage, and each to be under the control of a teller who should receive as well as pay, and who, in order to expedite business, should have an assistant to do such work as the teller might see fit to turn over to him—thus following out, in a way, the methods of the smallest country bank.

"In carrying out the plan, the bank was divided, as it were, into nine small banks—one for lady customers exclusively and eight according to the followng subdivisions of the alphabet: A—B; C—D; E—G; H—K; L—M; N—R; S; T—Z. Eight cages were constructed on one side of the bank, the ladies' department being removed, for convenience, to another location; each cage was made the same size, nine feet long and six feet wide, with two windows in each at the counter line—one marked "Teller" and one "Assistant," with a compartment back of each cage four and one-half feet wide by nine feet long for a bookkeeper to handle the detailed ledgers containing the accounts of the depositors whose names commenced with the letters on the front of the cage. In the working out of the system an amount of cash necessary to carry on the daily business is given into the custody of each teller, to remain in his possession and under his control, a coin truck being provided for each, whch is locked and wheeled into the coin vault at night and taken out each morning by the teller and placed in the cage under the counter in a place provided for it between the teller's and assistant's windows.

"Both the teller and his assistant handle the cash, and at the close of a day's work both are required to count it and initial the teller's sheet, which is turned in to the auditor. It is made the duty of the auditor to count the cash in the possession of each teller at irregular intervals, not more than a few days apart, and turn in a report of his findings to the cashier. Whenever the teller finds himself in possession of more cash than is needed for his daily use, he turns the surplus back into the reserve, and whenever he needs more cash, he makes a requisition to the assistant cashier for it.

"The object of having the bookkeeper immediately behind the cage is for the convenience of the teller or his assistant in securing information in regard to the condition of the depositor's account."

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AT THE THEATRES.

The present week will be a delightful and memorable one for playgoers, as the Academy will make three big offerings, each a star in itself. The galaxy will start tomorrow night with a giant and brilliant production of the Roger Brothers' great Broadway success, "In Panama."

With the exception of Roger Brothers, the well known Kline's, German comedians, being substituted, due to the death of one of the Rogers, the original New York production intact will be presented. The demand for seats, which went on sale at Plumher's yesterday, is already large.

ANDY AND MINERVA.
Striking Climax in "The Sins of the Father"—Next Saturday, Matinee and Night.

Tuesday night comes a Lew Fields production in "The Girl Behind the Counter," and Saturday, matinee and night, "The Sins of the Father," the muchly discussed Tom Dixon play, will be the offering.

"A Prime Donna as an Animal

Miss Sibyl Brenan, a clever little Prima Donna and course star with Klein Brothers with the Big Broadway Musical success, "In Panama" which appears at the Academy of Music tomorrow night, has a perfect mania for animals of all kinds. At Miss Brenan's summer home over on Long Island, she has a collection of four-footed pets that would add lustre to any travelling circus.

Mr. Al Rich, the owner of the company, says: "I don't question the veracity of old man Noah and his collection of animals, but as a collector of rare animals, Mis Brenan has commenced where Noah left off. "All animals are full of mischief," added Mr. Rich, "and at times show an instinct that is astonishing." Miss Brenan had a habit of ringing for the servant in her sitting room, but on several occasions the servant came when she had not rung. This mystery became annoying as the servant declared the bell had rang for her, a watch was kept for the cause. It was noticed that the pet monkey invariably came with her, and at last it was discovered that the monkey ran up the stairs and reached out his paw where the bell wire was within his reach and pulled it, thus bringing the servant to let him in. How the monkey learned this was never accounted for. Was it instinct or reason requiring clear headed thought? "But the most peculiar thing that happened" said Mr. Rich, "was the instinct shown by the canary bird, a good singer, to which she was attached, and a relative of hers knowing her fondness for birds brought her a beautiful canary from abroad. She at once placed it near her favorite for companionship, her bird seemed delighted and began welcoming the stranger with its most brilliant song. The new comer hopped about, apparently listening. When her bird had finished its song of welcome the stranger began, at first warbling in a low tone, but soon burst into a volume of musical notes, obviously surpassing its compeer in volume and sweetness. The poor bird seemed confounded by its rival's victory in a field where he had before held supreme excellence, but he began again, as if trying his power of competition, sang a few notes, stopped, began once more, and at last ceased to sing. From that day onward he never sang again, to the intense grief of Miss Brenan, added Mr. Rich. "We banished the bird out of her favorite's presence and hearing, but all to no avail, his defeat terminated his musical career.

Mr. Rich is a neighbor of Miss Brenan's as well as her manager, both having beautiful summer homes on Long Island, New York.

Another Big Musical Offering.

Lew Fields' musical triumph, "The Girl Behind the Counter," will be presented by Mr. Fields with Dick Bernard in the leading comedy role, at the Academy of Music Tuesday night.

The entire New York Herald Square theatre production will be seen here with a big singing company numbering about 100 people. "The Girl Behind the Counter" is the real thing in the musical comedy line—the kind that makes people laugh and go out and whistle the tunes of the many song hits. It had a longer run than "The Merry Widow" in New York, opening a little before the latter and continuing almost as long. Those who keep in touch with metropolitan theatrical affairs, need but be reminded of its wonderful success.

Besides Dick Bernard, who plays the leading comedy part, the cast of principals includes Miss Lottie Fremont, Miss Nanon Jacquez, Miss Virginia Folts, Eugene MacCregor, Miss Louise Gardner, Stephens Scott, Miss Ethel Millard, Miss Nina Kerr, Miss Maisie Ivie, Charles Stewart, John H. Pratt, Vincent McCarthy, Richard Murphy, William Singer and Miss Agnes Major. Seats will go on sale tomorow.

Thomas Dixon's New Play.

All the South is talking about the new Thomas Dixon play, "The Sins of the Father," which will be presented under the management of George H. Brenan at the Academy, matinee and night, next Saturday, Oct. 15th.

The discussion spreads in ever widening circles, and presently the whole nation will be involved in the controversy. Should Mr. Dixon have selected such a theme for dramatic treatment? is the question first furiously discussed, and next, has the author presented the true picture? Hundreds of thousands of Mr. Dixon's supporters answer an emphatic "Yes" to both qestions. They admit "The Sins of the Father" is even more sensational than "The Clansman," but they aver the facts had to be told and the results will be beneficient. Whatever the issue of the controversy, Mr. Dixon's new work has wrought a tremendous impresion. Praise it or criticise it as you will, the play is full of life, vigor, rollicking comedy, tear-compelling pathos, swift action and exciting climax. To miss it is to ignore one of the biggest things in the South today.

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Amount of Capital paid up in cash	$123,000.00
Amount of Ledger Assets December 31st of previous year, $154,485.31; increase of capital during the year, $7,900. Total	162,385.31
Income—from policy-holders, $69,969.22; miscellaneous, $11,774.40. Total	72,743.62
Disbursements—to policy-holders, nothing; miscellaneous, $40,984.98. Total	40,984.98
Business written during year—number of policies, 316; Amount	809,300.00
Business in force at end of year—number of policies, 531; Amount	$1,750,734.00
ASSETS.	
Loans secured by pledge of Bonds, stocks or other collateral	178,565.55
Cash in Company's office	195.47
Deposited in Trust Companies and Banks on interest	15,382.93
Interest and Rents due and accrued	1,746.18
Premiums paid	8,083.22
All other assets as detailed in statement	6,777.45
Total	$211,350.80
Total admitted assets	211,350.80
LIABILITIES.	
Net reserve, as computed	$51,214.00
Premiums paid in advance	491.06
Commissions due to agents, etc	11.12
Advances by officers	1,219.38
All other Liabilities as detailed in statement	485.19
Capital paid in cash	$123,000.00
Unassigned funds (surplus)	34,444.75
Total Liabilities	211,350.80

President, Darius L. Goff; secretary, Clinton C. White; home office, 75 West Winston street, Providence, R. I. Attorney for service Ins. Commissioner, Raleigh N. C. Business manager for North Carolina, Home Office.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,
INSURANCE DEPARTMENT,
Raleigh, N. C., May 11, 1910.

I, James R. Young, Insurance Commissioned, do hereby certify that the above is a true and correct abstract of the statement of the Puritan Life Insurance Company, of Providence, R. I., filed with this Department, showing the condition of said company on the 31st day of December, 1909.

Witness my hand and official seal the day and date above written.

JAS. R. YOUNG,
Insurance Commissioner.

Call for Proposals for the Construction of Drainage Ditches.

Sealed proposals for constructing drainage ditches in the Chadbourn Drainage District, Chadbourn, N. C., will be received by the Drainage Commissioners at Postoffice building in Chadbourn, N. C., up to 10 o'clock, November 1, 1910, and at that time they will be opened and publicly read, addressed to D. Boughner, chairman, and endorsed, "Proposals for Constructing Drainage Ditches." The aggregate length of these ditches is approximately nineteen (19) miles, and their construction requires the excavating of approximately 140,720 cubic yards of earth. Each proposal must be accompanied with a certified check in the sum of 5 per cent. of the contract price, made payable to the chairman of Drainage Commissioners of the Chadbourn Drainage District. Specifications and blank forms of proposals can be obtained by application to the chairman of the Drainage Commission, Chadbourn, N. C., and a full set of maps and profiles may be seen at the Drainage Commissioner's office. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

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FUTURE OF BONDS.

Deputy Comptroller of New York to Bankers' Asociation.

Los Angeles, Oct. 6.—The future for bonds is bright because the present quietude in business will stimulate thrift which in turn will increase the investing power of the country, was the belief expressed today by Deputy Comptroller Edmund D. Fisher, of New York City, in a speech before the savings bank section of the American Bankers' Association. Mr. Fisher said:

"The future of bonds as an investment is bound up, to a greater or lesser extent, with practically every question which effects financial and industrial activity. It is manifestly impossible within the appropriate limits of an address, to deal in more than a general way with some of the fundamental causes which produce from time to time marked and sometimes violent fluctuations in the value of investments with fixed maturities, and to point out some of the weaknesses in our general methods of transacting business which are responsible for these fluctuations.

"Interest return on the market value of characteristic securities during the past three decades has undergone marked change. This return on railroad bonds was, in 1879, 5.90 per cent.; in 1889, 4.93 per cent.; in 1899, 3.95 per cent.; while in 1900, it was on a basis of 4.18 per cent. The return on high grade municipal securities during this period has averaged about 1 per cent. lower than the rates, except in the last decade, which has been characterized by a change in the general movement of bond prices. It is quite evident, therefore, that from the broad standpoint, the usual law involving interest returns has prevailed; namely, that as wealth and capital have increased the interest return on invested capital has declined.

"Economists have been endeavoring to ascertain the chief reasons underlying th more recent and startling change in bond values. The large increase in the production of gold since 1896, the extraordinary increase in commercial transactions, the broadening of the opportunities for investment by larger and more frequent issues of railroad and industrial securities, extravagance and the greater use of luxuries throuhout the world, the maintenance of large standing armies, the building of powerful navies, the capital waste through three disastrously expensive wars, the inflation from the increase of national bank-notes in this country, the expansion of the scope of savings bank investments and the capital loss due to the San Francisco earthquake have all been causes for the marked lowering of bond prices during recent years.

"The abnormal increase in the supply of gold, followed by higher commodity prices, has recently been frequently ascribed as the main reason for this change. There is, however, a serious question whether increased gold production has been the dominant factor. While it is probable that the stimulating effect of gold has been a contributing element in the increased activity of the world's business, still, the outlook over a long period of years tends to disprove its quantitive force in materially effecting prices. Gold production has more than trebled in amount during the last thirty years, but it is very doubtful whether the much smaller increase in commodity prices during the same period has been mainly due to this cause. The truth is that gold canot be classed as an ordinary commodity. It is a law unto itself.

"The growth of this country, and its consequent increase in importance among the nations of the world in its financial and commercial relations, has emphasized some of the defects that have long been inherent in both our banking and business methods, and which have also tended to depreciate bond values. An unsound currency has placed us at a great disadvantage in our relations with other countries, especially during times of readjustment following periods of undue business inflation. European financiers, with their ability to raise money all times through the medium of well established centralized banks, have been able to absorb much of our capital in times of business stress, when we are helpless through lack of similar facilities. They sell to us when our prices are high and buy from us when our prices are low.

"The expansion of business in the last year of the old century and during the first years of the new, largely induced the growth of capital during the several years of economy following the panic of 1893, was coincident with the new tariffs and the organization of powerful corporations, which extended control in their various industries to a previously unheard-of degree. The public felt that a new era in business prosperity had come. Active demand for capital stimulated our credit expansion. New issues of bonds—railroad and industrial—were offered. Real estate activities began to develop, diverting capital to non-liquid investments. With it all came advancements in commodity prices and a coincidental increase in the cost of living to the individual. Corporations were forced to bid higher rates to satisfy their needs, and the buying power of the income of older and lower rate bonds declined, through competition with securities bearing a more attractive rate. This change that has come over the bond market in reecnt years has also been due to the gradually decreasing supply of investing capital on account of foolish extravagance and needless waste. During the period under discussion the non-producing class in the United States has increased from 28 to 40 per cent. without the loss being offset by any material increase in economic efficiency. This has operated directly as a factor in increasing prices. The social unrest, growing out of the undue diversion of earning power to monopolistic corporations, has accentuated the question as to the ultimate integrity of ther securities. Supreme Court decisions, interstate legislation, legislative investigations, have all indicated that the recent period of extravagance has been burdened with the excrescence of questionable practices in corporation management.

"In the past ten years there has been a distinct advantage in public knowledge of what robbery in high finance really is. Thus, the time has now come when a change in method is demanded, and there is evidence of an impetus towards general corrective tendencies. The time will shortly come when, through governmental control of the issuance of securities and oversight of the business methods of large corporations, bondholders will have greater assurances as to the intrinsic value of their investments. In past years the conservative capitalist did not care to invest his money in stocks because of their continuous fluctuation. His confidence in bonds has also been similarly shaken.

"Recent events in the financial and political world, however, point to a period of quietude in business, when the recuperative powers of the country for investment will return. Necessity, growing out of business difficulty, stimulates periods of thirft which tend to reduce commodity prices, increase wealth and consequently the investing power of the people. Furthermore, the bond markets are not likely to be flooded with the great volume of competing securities which has characterized the last decade. In this country the need for improvement in our currency system is attracting much public attention, and the necessity for the establishment of a central bank for this purpose is becoming more apparent. The creation of such an institution would go a long way in reducing the severity of recurring crises which have so often disturbed our trade, for under our present system there will always be the need, occasionally, for clearing the cumulative force of error which develops with every period of business activity. With this reform in our banking system bond values would quickly return to a basis more nearly commensurate with our growing National wealth.

"The future of bonds then, is bright, Bankers should unite in a plan for a sane and sound currency. Corporations should conform to the Federal and State laws guaranteeing fair play. Cities will be better governed. The productive power of the country will increase, and wealth, which is dependent on all these things, will seek investment. And gold? Why, that will continue to pour into the world in varying quantities as in the past; always in demand, yet always stored away; a latent and an active force. As that portion of it which is a factor in this country will always be in the hands of the members of the American Bankers' Association, the ultimate solution of its problem may be safely left to them."

SCHOOLS TO TEACH SAVINGS.

Minneapolis Bankers Urges This on American Bankers Association.

Los Angeles, Cal., Oct. 6.—Urging that the public schools of the country should systematically teach children the art and habit of saving that the present tendency to spend and not economize may be overcome, Newton F. Hawley, treasurer of the Farmers and Mechanics Savings Bank, of Minneapolis, in a speech to the American Bankers' Association convention today told how the city of Minneapolis had instituted a plan of saving which had been successfully taught in the public schools. Mr. Hawley said:

"The Associated Charities of Minneapolis, about five years ago, with the consent of the Board of Education of the city, introduced into the public schools the stamp system for saving. The Board of Education had been advised by the city attorney that it did not have the legal right to establish and maintain such a system, principally on the ground that the work was a banking and not an educational function, and not permissible under the School Board's charter.

"The Associated Charities operated the system for about three years, and with one collector introduced it in about a dozen grade schools out of five times that number in the city. But the work became so great and the funds received so large that in 1908 the Association sought to be relieved of a work which was somewhat alien to its own primal purpose. It requested that the work be taken over by the Farmers & Mechanics Savings Bank of Minneapolis, which is a strictly mutual savings bank with over 50,000 depositors. Such an institution being somewhat educational in its purpose, such a work was, therefore, not greatly foreign to it. The Clearing House Association of the city joined in the request. Thereupon, in September, 1908, this bank, with the express authority of the Board of Education, took over the system and is now operating it in about 47 of the graded schools of the city, in which there is a school attendance of about 39,000 children.

"The method under which it is operated is the following:

"The bank employs for its work five bright, intelligent and enthusiastic young women as collectors. They go to the various schools once a week, explain to the children, when necessary, the system and its purpose, as well as the benefits of learning to save. These collectors receive the money presented by the children. Not exceeding $5 in the aggregate is the amount received from any one child. The collectors attach to a stamp card furnished by the bank variously colored lithograph stamps equal in amount to the money offered by the child, and the card is returned to the child. Accounts can be opened and money can be withdrawn only upon the written request of the parent or guardian of the child, and money can be withdrawn only by the surrender of the stamps attached to the child's card. Rules are plainly printed upon the card. But little bookkeeping is necessary. Few cards are lost. The child is impressed with the interest of preserving the card and is thus taught to carefully safeguard at least one thing among its many possessions.

"No bonus or reward of any kind is offered for accounts. No interest is paid until the account is transferred into a regular pass book in some savings bank. No appeals are made except those which are purely educational and which suggest the right uses for which money is to be saved, and those things which children naturally want to buy and therefore can be induced to save their money for. The colectors incite the children to earn money in the various ways which appeal to children, such as selling papers, doing odd jobs, raising flowers and vegetables, saving their allowances and money given to them as presents, and money which they usually spend for candy and entertainment. The children are encouraged to save for the specific thing they want—for baseball, football and tennis outfits, sleds, skates, canoes, books, presents to others and a hundred concrete things. We trust to the tendency that in doing these specific things the children will unconsciously acquire the saving habit and with it the strength of character to resist, to economize, to accumulate and to plan ahead.

The number of children depositors when the bank took over the system in June, 1908, was 1,735; in June 1910, the number was 2,728. The amount on deposit in June, 1908, was $2,025; in June, 1910, $22,639. The total number of children who made deposits during the last school year of 1909-1910 was over 21,000 out of a total school population in the 37 grade schools of about 39,000, and the total amount deposited during the year was over $30,000. Of the amount withdrawn nearly one-half was taken out and put into regular savings bank passbooks in this or some other savings bank.

"A few words as to results. Two years is too short a time for a satisfactory test of a system involving so many individuals. Already, however, the great educational value of the plan seems apparent. Teachers and parents by the score and by the hundreds commend it and volunteer many specific cases, showing benefits to their particular children. Many a dime and dollar is earned and saved where otherwise it would not have been; but better still—many a child learns frugality and the habit of economy and saving. Seemingly the effects well establish the benefits of the system."

HOGS YIELD MUCH.

Louisiana Gets Financial Benefits from the Porkers.

Baton Rouge, Oct. 7.—Hogs constitute a material percentage of taxable property in Louisiana, according to tax returns received here.

In several parishes of the State a substantial increase in taxable property is attributed to the value of hogs, the raising of which followed the advent of the boll weevil into Louisiana and the turning away from cotton cultivation by farmers.

Pittsburg, October 7.—A detective agency here announced tonight that four arrests were made in Brooklyn, N. Y., this afternoon, in connection with the murder of W. M. Rice, in Cleveland, Ohio, on August 5th last. The prisoners are held in Brooklyn under suspicion and confessions are expected soon. The prisoners are Italians.

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